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Vancouver and Vicinity—Light West winds, fair and mild.

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ANTI-AIRCRAFT GUNS OF LONDON BREAK UP BIG GERMAN ATTACK

Terrific Barrage Prevents Waves of Raiders From Delivering Full Force of Assault—Nazi Bombers Reported Over Other Parts of England—Much Damage Done in Capital

LONDON, April 20 (Sunday) (AP).—Much damage and a heavy toll of casualties were reported in a British communique issued today after the Luftwaffe's overnight attack, described as a "large scale" raid concentrated primarily upon London. The communique said:

"London was again attacked during the night. The attack was on a heavy scale and much damage was done. The number of casualties is expected to be fairly high.

"Bombs were also dropped at places outside London, mainly in the east and southeastern counties. Damage was done at several points but casualties in these areas as a whole were not heavy.

"Two enemy bombers are known to have been destroyed during the night, one of them by our night fighters."

FURIOUS BARRAGE

LONDON, April 20 (Sunday) (AP).—A furious barrage thrown up by London's anti-aircraft guns broke up German yielding formations over the capital today and dealt the edge of a drubbing blitz for Adolf Hitler.

The instant and effective response from anti-aircraft guns to the appearance of waves of raiders appeared to prevent the concentration of a sharp raid earlier in the night.

British shelling along the Thames

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GERMANS TAKE FRENCH SHIPS

Requisition Fifty-Three Liners and Freighters in Recent Months

VICHY, France, April 18 (AP).—Fifty-three ships of nearly 240,000 tons have been requisitioned from France by Germany in recent months, reliable informants said today, bringing at least one open demand that the Government be fired and set a limit to such action.

The trans-Atlantic French liner De Grasse, 18,653 tons, heads the list of the ships reported requisitioned. Others include the Meslage, 12,298 tons, the Kerguelen, 10,132, the Verdun, 8,157, the Flandre, 8,411 and the Vangtze, 8,150.

FREIGHT CARS TAKEN

This is the first figure on requisitioned means of transportation since it was learned that in last February 140,000 out of 400,000 French freight cars had been requisitioned and that 240,000 the remainder had been concentrated in occupied France. These cars were requisitioned by the German authorities.

Le Temps, influential Paris newspaper, quoted early this week for governmental firmness to set limits to the requisitions.

It said that food supplies for France depended upon freedom of the sea and on domestic communications.

PREMIER KORIZIS TOOK OWN LIFE

Official Announcement Says Action Resulted From Anguish Over Greece's Unequal Struggle

ATHENS, April 18 (AP).—Premier Korizis took his own life because of anguish over Greece's unequal struggle with Germany and Italy, it was announced officially tonight.

The fifty-six-year-old Premier, in office less than three months, shot himself yesterday at his home.

An announcement said:

"Korizis, having had a nervous breakdown as the result of the strain and emotion of the unequal struggle which Greece is waging against an army of two empires, ended his life."

It was announced officially that King George II, reserving to himself for the time being the Presidency of the Council of Ministers, had appointed General Alexander Mazarakis with formation of a new cabinet, which will have a military character due to the war circumstances.

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SOLDIER DIES IN ACCIDENT

Metal Bar on Army Truck Takes Life of Private C. W. Johnston

Private C. W. Johnston, R.C.A.C., Blackpool, B.C., lost his life in a truck accident beyond the crest of Four Mile Hill at 11 o'clock yesterday morning. Private J. F. Rooney sustained serious injuries and Private J. L. Cedden was also hurt. Both were belong to the same regiment and are at the Military Hospital.

According to Constables M. L. Beguille and Alex Macdonald, Police, a convoy of four army trucks laden with soldiers was proceeding towards the city. On the other side of the road was a parked truck with a flat tire, owned by Joe Wu, 538 Pugsard Street.

TO AVOID CYCLIST

While an Island Freight Service Ltd. truck in charge of James E. Wylie, 1325 Pithkeva Avenue was passing between the convoy and the parked vehicle, the second truck in the convoy swung out to avoid a cyclist.

The third truck in the convoy, driven by Private Lawrence McFadden, also swung out, a little farther than the second. The rear-view mirror on the Island Freight Service Ltd. vehicle came in contact with the iron framework for the canvas top of the army truck. The metal bars bent and struck the heads of Private Johnston, Rooney and Cedden. Johnston was instantly killed, Rooney and Cedden were injured and rushed to the hospital. The trucks sustained only slight damage.

DAMAGE HOUSES OF PARLIAMENT

Library of Commons Struck By Bombs—Speaker's Residence Hit

LONDON, April 18 (CP).—Both Houses of Parliament were damaged in recent air raids. It was announced officially today. Much of the window of the House of Commons Library were destroyed, a large water main was smashed and Nazi bombs ripped a hole in the roof over the members' lobby.

The Parliament Buildings had suffered damage from bombs hits last night.

The latest damage included bomb hits on the Speaker's House in the Inner Quadrangle. The Speaker, Capt. F. A. Piercy, was not in the residence, and no one was injured.

Along the terrace by the Thames hundreds of window were shattered and the apartments of the office keeper were struck.

Member House was in session. There were no casualties among the staff or the fire-watchers on duty.

FIVE NAZI SHIPS AFIRE OR SINKING

British Planes Attack Merchant Craft in Heligoland and Norwegian Coast

LONDON, April 18 (CP).—Four Axis merchant ships and an escort vessel either were set afire or left sinking yesterday, the Air Ministry announced today. The ships, one of which said eight British planes were missing from the day's operations over the North Sea.

Two of the enemy vessels destroyed were travelling in convoy near Heligoland. Together with an escorting vessel, they were set on fire "an seriously as to be a total loss."

The other pair were "hit and left sinking off the Norwegian Coast.

Gas Masks Are Checked

Regular check-ups on gas masks are the order of the day in London. These officers are seen here up to pass through a gas chamber on a mobile gas van. Nazi planes may unloose gas bombs in a prelude to attempted invasion.

Imperial Forces Arrive in Iraq; Axis Force Loses

British Troops Land at Basra to Open Lines of Communication, While Patrols at Tobruk and On Egyptian Border Inflict Heavy Damage on German-Italian Attackers

CAIRO, April 19 (CP).—British patrols today harassed the retreating Axis forces in the western desert as Imperial forces landed at Basra on the Persian Gulf to "open lines of communication" through Iraq, rich oil-bearing territory that has been the scene of Axis intrigue.

There was nothing in reports reaching Cairo to indicate that Axis forces which have succeeded in reaching Italian, Egypt, have been able to penetrate further, but there were many indications that the Italo-German attackers were suffering heavily from British blows.

Not only at Italian where, a communique said, patrols "inflicted casualties on the enemy" but in the Tobruk area they were backed by British units. The Royal Air Force added to the invaders' problems by destroying motor transport and dropping bombs on troop concentrations.

WELCOME FOR TROOPS

Arrival of Imperial forces in Iraq found the Empire's troops entering a theatre of the Middle East in which they played such a brilliant part in the first Great War. The memory of their past performance was credited with accounting for the welcome given them by the people of the former British protectorate.

A London announcement said

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EIGHT DEAD IN SPRING STORMS

Floods and Wind Destructive in Three States—Snow in Two Others

SPRINGFIELD, Mo., April 19 (AP).—Storms covered almost half of the wide Plains State area. Eight persons were dead and two missing in floods and windstorms in Missouri, Arkansas and Oklahoma.

Four were injured in Illinois tornadoes. Kansas and Nebraska had snow.

Hundreds of normally peaceful streams of the Ozark Mountain area swept out of their banks, disrupting highway and railroad traffic and crippling communications. Water supplies were threatened in two communities, one of them Joplin, Mo., a city of 32,000.

TOWN IS EVACUATED

Thousands of acres of farmlands were inundated. Some of the 500 residents of Bagnell, a resort town beside the Lake of the Ozarks, were evacuated over a railroad trestle. But most of them remained. The town was isolated from highway traffic. Partial evacuations were ordered in other Missouri communities.

Tornadoes or violent windstorms struck Carbe, Doerr, and Frederick in Southeast Oklahoma. Rose in Northeast Oklahoma, Clearwater in Kansas and a Missouri farm section. The eight dead were in Missouri, the missing two in Oklahoma.

TWISTER IN ILLINOIS

A twister swept through Bardgamon and Jersey Counties in Illinois in mid-afternoon, damaging buildings at Hampshire, Thayer and Crafton and injuring four persons. Several others escaped from a household captained by the wind at a Mississippi River landing.

A snowstorm swept from Western Nebraska down through Southwestern Kansas, dampening travel in some sections. Freezing weather damaged fruit trees and other crops.

Mongrel Pup Gets A Hero's Badge

VANCOUVER, April 18 (CP).—Pets of animal wear in Vancouver, sponsored by the Society for Prevention of Cruelty to Animals, will be the presentation of a hero animal badge to Spot, a mongrel pup which recently saved the lives of three children.

Spot, owned by Mr. and Mrs. H. Eaglanton, proved his worthiness and devotion, when the home of his master was destroyed by fire March 8. He dashed into the flaming house and aroused the four sleeping girls, who otherwise would have burned to death or smothered in the smoke.

From Europe Day by Day—

THE TIMES, London

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LONDON, April 19 (The Times).—The battlekrieg is in full force in Northern Greece, says The Times. Athens reinforcements, and the Germans are thrashing ruthlessly southward, both with masses of tanks and bombards of all bombers. Australian and New Zealand troops are holding out magnificently.

It is now known that some Australians and New Zealanders are in Athens, where they fought the enemy bitterly. New Zealanders smashed bonfirelots of Germans crossing the river and captured 150 prisoners.

However, Empire forces have had to withdraw through the mountains, and the troops in one place had to sleep four nights in snow with only blankets for covering.

Regular reinforcements Germans at night have made some captures by rallying out to Australians in the dark, so as to give the impression they are British troops.

The Greek Government have announced the continued advance of Greek, Greek reinforcements.

Australian and Imperial forces have already put out of action three times their own numbers, and the enemy troops. Man for man and tank for tank they have shown themselves unquestionably superior to the Nazis as fighters.

The enemy, however, has no cheaper commodity than that of men, and the Times military correspondent, and he can afford, through his great numerical superiority, enormous losses in tanks and airplanes. While Greece fights on, Italians are in resistance. British Empire forces will fight beside her.

The Nazis are now turning to Turkey, presenting, as usual that they want only her friendship and have no desire to make war on her. The Turks are confident of their ability to resist if attacked and are pleased that the Soviet Union has warned Germany that Turkey should refuse any concessions to Germany.

Germany is preparing to give facilities for Turkish trade across Bosphorus, Turkish leaders, which can supply munitions and metals

The Turks, says The Times Ankara correspondent, do not think Greece, with the limited British assistance available, can hold up the Germans for more than a couple of time. But it is well understood the Italians cannot hold and decide the war.

Iraq has now become the dangerous, and the Germans might find an ally there. Consequently, it is regarded in Ankara as not unlikely that the Germans will attempt to reach the Suez Canal across Turkish territory and Palestine.

CANADA TO GET AID FROM U.S.

Quantities of Military Equipment to Be Supplied Under Lease-Lend Bill

(Special to The Colonist)

OTTAWA, April 19.—With the return from Washington by plane of Defence Minister Ralston and Finance Minister Macdonald, reports that Canada will be given equipment and material and identity from the United States under the Lease-Lend Bill.

Twelve aircraft, anti-aircraft guns, naval armament and a long list of other items are mentioned. The articles mentioned are only a few of the war supplies which, it is expected, will be made available to Canada by lease to loan. Mr. Hower and Mr. Macdonald spent five days in Washington in conferences with United States Government officials and in addition to the major discussions to be opened between the Canadian Ministers and

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Nine German Planes Bagged In One Night

LONDON, April 19 (CP).—A British Air Ministry communique said Saturday:

"Aircraft of one of our bomber squadrons on their way to Berlin, Thursday night, April 17-18, shot down an enemy night fighter and on their way back shot down another.

"It has also been confirmed that on the night of April 15-16 an enemy bomber was shot down by anti-aircraft guns over Northern Ireland. Thus a total of nine enemy aircraft was destroyed during that night."

Sees Wave After Wave of Germans Mowed Down

By JAMES ALDRIDGE
North American Newspaper Alliance
WITH BRITISH FORCES IN NORTHERN GREECE, April 18 (Delayed).—Your correspondent is writing what history will record as one of the bloodiest and most astonishing battles ever fought by man. Here in these wind-swept and rain-drenched Greek hills, the Australian and German troops are in death grips.

Five days ago, two crack German divisions, moving south from Kosani, were held off British and Australian big guns, machine guns and rifles. Nothing stopped them with their rifle-fire-power, held them off.

No sooner were these two divisions knocked about than there were three more up to support them, and for two days in this bottleneck, three German divisions have been coming wave after wave, in bloody attempts to push through to the Thessaly plain, which they have been

From where I am lying I can see flashes of an artillery duel as defense and attack are sustained. There is a continuous jumble of roars and echoes deep in the wet valleys. By the telemeter on my watch they are two miles away. Machine guns rat-tat-tat, shots across a nearby valley are one mile away. I can also hear rifle fire, and I fear it more than anything. It is dark, rain is sifting down and there is a murmur of bombing planes from the North.

MORE THAN FAIR EXCHANGE

Wave after wave of Germans have been machine-gunned and shot at by all and sundry. German Stukas have been two or three times dive-bombed and have strafed a third. But two Stukas have fallen, and it is more than fair exchange. Greek anti-aircraft guns knocked one down four miles north of here. A Stuka gun on a lorry got another one. I can see it still burning on my left. I saw a crash, rushed over to it in time to see the pilot stagger from the wreckage with his clothes after. An Aus-

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GREEK COMMAND ADMITS NAZI PUSH MADE TOWARD THE SOUTH

Hitler's Specials Not in Evidence After Hammering

CAIRO, Egypt, April 19 (AP).—The B.B. Adolf Hitler Division of motorized blitz troops had been seen in action since five days ago when it was routed by Imperial forces with heavy losses in Greece, British sources in touch with the Balkan situation said tonight.

HUNTING FOR NAZI FLYERS

Twenty-Eight Escape From Ontario Internment Camp —Eleven Recaptured

PORT ARTHUR, April 19 (CP).—A small army of men tonight scoured the rocky wilderness of Northwestern Ontario for twenty-eight Germans, airmen who broke through Friday night with eleven other Nazi flyers from an internment camp some miles east of this city.

Eleven of the twenty-eight planes are now back from the Nazi flying escape from a Canadian internment camp since the start of the war were recaptured. Naturally only a few hours of hurried liberty.

Internment authorities did not disclose the names of the prisoners who broke out of the camp by tunneling from their quarters around midnight on Friday, but they expressed belief that the fugitives still at large could not travel far without being sighted by their pursuers. The thinly populated area in the immediate vicinity of the camp is liberally dotted with wooden, siltrate lakes, studded with rocks and covered by a heavy, tangled forest.

FIVE HOURS' LEAD

The break was not discovered until five hours after the 9 p.m. night nightly checkup. Discovery of the escape set into motion the mass escape and immediately a general alarm was raised. Police from all neighboring districts, civilians from nearby lumber camps and soldiers of the Algonquin Regiment at this lakehead pushed with intermixed camp guards to the greatest manhunt the district has ever seen.

Only minutes detail of the escape, which was planned for weeks, were

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First Tank Of Type Is Off the Line

SCHENECTADY, N.Y., April 19 (AP).—A dull olive green tank the guns and light machine guns, built by the American Locomotive Company plant today at a ceremonious "roll out" ceremony.

The twenty-eight-ton tank, driven by a 400-horsepower airplane engine and a top speed of twenty-five miles an hour, is the plant's first of 40, Robert P. Pearson, President, Brigadier of War with American and Canadian officials, attended the ceremonies.

TRADITIONAL MASSES CANCELED IN GREECE

ATHENS April 18 — The traditional Greek Orthodox Easter Masses where thousands once gathered before the outdoor altars are cancelled Sunday.

Instead, the Greeks walked for daylight in morning to churches and pray for victory for their troops.

Where or How Far Not Disclosed—Saturday British Communique Declares Unbroken Line Maintained Against Many-Waved Assaults of German Forces—Allies Inflict Losses

Infantry Thousands Replace Foiled Mechanized Forces

ATHENS, Greece, April 20 (Sunday) (AP).—The Greek High Command announced early today that the Germans hammering in unending waves at the British-Greek line have "made a push toward the south."

This was the first indication from here in twenty-four hours that the Germans had gained ground, both British and Greek reports given to mid-afternoon yesterday saying the Allies were holding fast against the Nazi assaults.

Just where the German thrust was made or how far was not disclosed. (The German claimed yesterday the swastika had been hoisted over Mount Olympus and Larissa, important communications centre forty miles to the south).

ON ALBANIAN FRONT

On the Albanian front, the High Command said Greeks falling back before the Italians had inflicted heavy casualties on the Fascists in rearguard actions.

"Every time the enemy attempted to harass the movement of our units, they turned back and chased them," the communique said.

The Government spokesman said Greek artillery fire yesterday stopped an Italian attempt to approach the lines and that Italian forces moving toward Erseke-Androliko were dispersed. Some prisoners were taken also, he said.

German columns which penetrated Northern Greece from Biaoli (Ptolemais), Yugoslavia, were unable to advance yesterday from positions reached on Friday, the spokesman asserted.

The early British communique declared that British and Greek forces, fighting another Verdun in the marshy of fabled Mount Olympus, maintained an unbroken line against assaults by many, upon wave of German units.

"NOWHERE PENETRATED"

Omega's communique said, nowhere has been penetrated" said a British communique issued here at 3 p.m. (4.45 a.m. P.S.T.). It added that severe losses had been inflicted on the Germans and that many prisoners had been taken

Other reports from the northern front—Greek as well as British—reaching Athens up to early afternoon indicated that the tightened Allied line was unchanged, his flanks unturned in the preceding twelve hours.

The German high command announced in Berlin that the Swastika had been planted on Mount Olympus and over Larissa, rail and road junction on the plains forty miles to the south. This dispatch telling of the German announcement was received from Berlin at 2 10 p.m.—fifteen minutes before the British communique in Athens.

With German pressure mounting hourly against the Allied line, King George II conferred with civil, political and military leaders in an effort to form a new wartime government. Former Premier Kostas Kotsias, former military governor of Athens, had held many on the task. Meanwhile, Premier Kraios Kavrakos was named military

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SAYS RAIDERS OUT OF ACTION

Trade Envoy Reports German Craft Driven From Pacific by Bombers

SAN PEDRO, Calif., April 19 (AP).—Lieut.-Col. Lawrence M. Cosgrave, Canadian Trade Commissioner to Australia, declared today that four motored consolidated bombers had sunk or driven out of action German commerce raiders operating in the South Pacific.

Colonel Cosgrave spoke on the Matson-Oceanic line Monterey, en route to Ottawa.

He reported great strides in war production in Australia, adding:

"We put many German reports interested at the start of the war, to keep Britain going and planes for defence of the Empire.

AVIATION ADVISER

Also aboard were Reginald B. Jackson operations manager for a British commercial aviation firm in Thailand Siam—and an adviser to the Thailand Minister of Aviation, and a former resident of Malaya, Africa.

He said a Japanese land market through Thailand in Singapore was impracticable for several months because of the rainy season, and declared:

"I have no doubt that Thailand would resist such an aggression. It has a modern air force, a partly mechanized army and a corps of 40,000 trained in West Point or Kelly Field, Texas. It would be no walkover."

Saboteurs Suspected At Denver

DENVER, April 18 (AP).—An explosion and fire wrecked the four-story Hotel Building in the heart of downtown district today and Fire Chief John [illegible] Healy said saboteurs might have been responsible. No one was injured.

Hotel discussing the sabotage possibility, said he was certain that incendiary more than wood and materials naturally present in the building fed that fire.

The chief placed the loss at about $60,000

NO BIRTHDAY PARTY FOR THE PRINCESS

LONDON, April 18 (CP).—Princess Elizabeth, who will be fifteen on Monday, will have a quiet birthday anniversary. The usual family party will not be held because of the war. Messages and telegrams for the princess began to arrive in London today.

VICTORIES NOT WHOLLY A GAIN

U.S. Secretary of Agriculture Says Hitler Losing Balkan Food Supply through Fighting

CHARLESTON, S.C., April 18 (AP).—Secretary of Agriculture Wickard declared tonight that American food may decide the outcome of the war, and suggested that Adolf Hitler's victories in Europe, by destroying one of his sources of food, might hasten his defeat.

"There is a distinct shift now in Hitler's Balkan victories," the Secretary said. "The Nazis are dependent upon the Balkans by wheat, fats and other foods. It is a striking fame now but millions of farmers are in the armies.

"Germany's situation, so far as fats are concerned, is critical now. The British blockade is not spectacular, but it works night and day. Hitler is in a cage. He is kept there, his Balkan victories will only hasten his eventual collapse a collapse that will be largely due to the lack of food."

BRAZILIAN MAGIC

RIO DE JANEIRO, April 18 (AP).—Under a bottle on a Rio street a passerby found a live snake and a long list of names. Persons familiar with Brazilian witch beliefs said somebody was trying to cast an evil spell on the persons listed.

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NEGOTIATIONS WILL PROCEED

B.C. Declines Comment on Note Renewal by Dominion Meanwhile

Negotiations between the Dominion and British Columbia Governments over the disposition of provincial treasury bills outstanding at Ottawa are proceeding normally, Premier Pattullo intimated yesterday on his return from the Mainland. Nothing further could be said at this time, the Premier stated.

Provincial spokesmen declined to comment on the announcement from the office of Mr. Ilsley, Dominion Finance Minister, that some $12,000,000 in British Columbia treasury bills have been renewed.

Meanwhile as far as could be ascertained here, the Province was still considering on the basis of the offer to Ottawa to replace a portion of the outstanding bills by negotiable debentures, if the Dominion so desired. This referred to direct advances by the Dominion to the Province largely in the administration of Mr. Hon. R. B. Bennett for purposes other than unemployment relief.

OFFER ADVANCED

The Province proposed at the same time in discussing the remaining balance of treasury bills incurred in respect of unemployment relief, and for which British Columbia stated it still held the Dominion primarily responsible. For the present, however, no statement is being made, and renewal of a portion of the treasury bills at Ottawa passed without official comment here during the day.

Premier Pattullo intimated the matter was in the hands of the Treasury, with negotiations still under way.

BETA WITH WASHINGTON

"The final decision if Canada, in the same way, will have to dispose of American securities held by Canadians rests in the hands of the Presidents and his colleagues," officials declared today. At the moment, no intimation has reached here one way or the other.

If the United States does not discount rate." It is stated Officials stat upon this being done it will be point out this would otherwise be difficult to maintain, in view of the Premier King's present visit and huge war supplies required from the United States.

proceeds furnishing American dollars for war purchases.

The effect of the arrangement will be to stabilize the Canadian dollar at least at its present dis-

DIES IN SEATTLE

SEATTLE April 19 (AP).—Frederick W. Alexander, secretary and manager of the Pacific Lumber Inspection Bureau, Inc., died at his home today of a heart attack. The widow survives. He was born at Victoria, B.C.

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ROTARIANS WILL CONFER IN CITY

More Than 1000 Members and Families Expected Here May 11, 12 and 13

Plans are rapidly being completed by the Victoria Rotary Club for the entertainment of more than 1000 Rotarians and members of their families who are expected to attend the annual District district conference in this city. The conference will be participated in by the eighty-seven Rotary clubs which comprise the 101st Rotary district. The district conference is scheduled for May 11, 12 and 13.

Among the many prominent persons who will attend is H. H. Wolf, Portland, Idaho, who will deliver one of the principal addresses at the conference. Some of the scheduled features of the programme are group luncheons, banquet, ball, show entertainment and also outstanding speakers.

R. V. Brelsford, Walla Walla, Wash., who is governor of the 101st district, will preside at the conference. One of the most important matters to come before the conference is the nomination of the district governor for 1941-42. Although nominated by the district conference the district governor will be elected at the convention of Rotary International to be held in Denver, Colo., from June 15 to 20. The nomination selected to succeed the present district governor will take office on July 1 and will become the official representative of Rotary International in the 101st district.

NICHOLAS BASSO TAKEN BY DEATH

Nicholas Basso, foreman bricklayer at the Victoria Machinery Depot for forty-two years, died on Thursday at the Lebanon Nursing Home. He was seventy-four years of age. Mr. Basso took a keen interest in bowling and rowing as a young man and stroked the four-oared boat which won the British Columbia championship in the old days with Billy Coulter and other noted oarsmen.

Mr. Basso lived at 2633 Rock Bay Avenue and is survived by one son, Harry N. Basso, Ashford Wash. and two daughters, Mrs. T. Newell, Portland, Ore. and Mrs. A. Berner, of Prince Rupert.

The funeral will take place tomorrow under the auspices of Aerie No. 12, Fraternal Order of Eagles, the cortege leaving Bonds Mortuary Chapel at 2:00 o'clock. Mass will be sung ten minutes later at St. Andrew's Cathedral, with interment following in the family plot in Ross Bay Cemetery.

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Missing Man Is Found Drowned

Missing from his home since last Friday the body of William J. Reid, ninety-year-old resident of Victoria was removed from the George yesterday after discovery by three passing soldiers.

Taken to the Sands Mortuary Ltd. by the police ambulance the body was identified late last night as the aged man's son-in-law, J. H. Stewart, 1328 George Street.

It was stated last night that inquest would be held.

CANADA TO GET AID FROM U.S.

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President Roosevelt at Hyde Park New York on Sunday.

MAKING RAPID PROGRESS

"Negotiations are making rapid progress. It is stated Financial authorities here have no definite information yet whether American securities held by Canadians will have to be sold to supply United States dollars to be applied on account of further war purchases made by this country across the border.

Between $250,000,000 and $300,000,000 in Canadian securities held by owners in the United Kingdom have been repurchased by Canada to provide Britain with Canadian dollars on account of the United Kingdom's war purchases in this country officials state. This process for making Canadian dollars available to the United Kingdom is continuing.

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CYCLIST INJURED IN ACCIDENT SUCCUMBS

NEW WESTMINSTER, April 19 (CP).—Max Yackiw, forty-seven, of Surrey, died in hospital early today from injuries received when the bicycle he was riding was involved in an accident with an automobile near here Friday night.

Yackiw, Galician-born naturalized Canadian, was a widower. He leaves nine children and a sister in Surrey.

Civil Conscription Reality in Britain With Plan Legalized

All Defence Services on Same Footing and Citizens Generally Subject to Call to Duty When Occasion Demands

Consolidated News Features

LONDON, April 19.—Civil conscription has become a reality, and has received the support of an overwhelming majority of the country. The House of Commons gave the bill legalizing the measure a practically unanimous vote, 176 to 4, to be precise.

So now, civil defence is placed in line with the other defence services, but in practice the conscripts for civil defence will be drawn chiefly from men of the older age groups, men of over thirty and possibly thirty-five. I can see them being called up to the age of fifty and more. Several men, over sixty, are doing admirable work in my A R P division and in addition to their daily work, do an average of 100 hours a month night work, patroling the streets and standing by for air raids.

In addition to the older men, the civil defence organization will absorb many of the younger men who have been rejected by the army and the fighting forces generally because of physical disability. Short sight or a clubfoot may interfere with the making of a perfect infantryman, but not with one of the innumerable jobs a civil conscript might do both indoors and out.

... had injured a foot and was obliged to use a crutch. He was going home from his air raid post, where he had been working as a telephone operator, when a shower of incendiary bombs fell in the street close by him. He put out three single handed.

LIKE ARMY RECRUITS

The point about the bill which is new in the history of this country is that it will allow the authorities to call up men for civil defence duties in the same way as they call army recruits, and the people so called up may be organised on a regional or even on a national basis. This is a sound idea.

Now special bodies of the auxiliary fire service or of the rescue shoring and demolition squads, will be organized and be ready to go at a moment's notice to any hard-hit area.

A big national pool or reserve might prove very useful in a serious emergency.

It would not surprise me if this nationalizing of civil defence did not lead to some kind of uniformity in rank and authority among the personnel concerned. At present the fire services of the country, to quote only one instance, are on a purely municipal basis. A highly skilled professional fire officer from London if he went with a section of the London Fire Brigade to help at some little place in the home counties would have to take orders from the local fire chief, probably an amateur.

NO EPIDEMICS

While on the subject of civil defence, which is closely allied to shelters and the new life which has arisen within them, it is interesting to record how wrong were certain prophets who foretold that all kinds of epidemics would follow upon the bombing of cities and the consequent massing of the population in congested spaces. As a matter of fact, the health authorities anticipated the possibility of a bad epidemic of influenza in the first three months of this year. These have now passed and no epidemic of the sort has broken out.

The worst week we had was in February when there were 314 deaths from influenza in 128 cities of Great Britain. In the last week of March the deaths for the same towns dropped to 132. These figures should be compared with those in the big outbreak at the end of the Great War in 1918, when there were 7,500 deaths in one week of November, the month of the Armistice.

FREEDOM FROM DISEASE

We should congratulate ourselves on the freedom from infectious diseases which this country now enjoys. The end of 1940 saw the lowest number of cases of scarlet fever in any twelve months for the previous ten years. One of the diseases of which an epidemic was feared was cerebro-spinal fever. There were more cases of this than of influenza but nevertheless it did not become epidemic at any time during the Winter. The worst among the contagious diseases this Winter was diphtheria, which, with the present means for obtaining immunization, should have been stamped out in England as it has been in New York. I believe I am right in saying that in 1939 New York had 564 cases of diphtheria and twenty-two deaths. In the same year London had 3,700 cases and ninety-eight deaths.

The figures for diphtheria cases during the last Winter have not been published, but when they are it probably will be seen that there is still much leeway to make up in the task of immunizing the English child as has been done with children in the United States.

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PROF. A. L. C. ATKINSON

MRS. C. R. B. Fleming, of McKenzie Avenue, has received word that her brother, Prof. A. L. C. Atkinson, University of Saskatchewan, has been given a commission, with the rank of lieutenant-commander, in the R C N V R. Professor Atkinson studied at McGill University, and has degree of naval architecture from Durham University, and is a member of the Institute of Naval Architects.

FLOWER SHOW WILL BE HELD

Annual Tulip Exhibition at Crystal Garden Next Saturday

Victoria's second flower show of the season will be held next Saturday, April 26, in the lower ballroom of the Crystal Garden when the Victoria Horticultural Society will stage its annual exhibition of tulips.

Everything points to a most successful show. The season has been splendid for tulips and gardeners are now watching their plantings carefully, nursing along their best blooms for the show.

But it isn't only tulips that will be shown. There will be classes for anemonies, auriculas, iris, pansies, primroses, polyanthus, violets, wallflower and baskets of flowering shrubs.

There will be several non-competitive displays amongst which will be a large collection from the Dominion Experimental Station at Saanichton. Competition will be very keen for the array of prizes offered, which includes several medals and other trophies.

CIVILIAN PROTECTION COMMITTEE HOLDS MEETING AT SOOKE

SOOKE, April 18.—A meeting of the Sooke Civilian Protection Committee was held on Wednesday at the home of G. E. Ashton.

A. F. Brownsey, postmaster, was chairman. Representatives of the following A R P branches were present: D. J. DeRochie, chief warden for the warden service; Dr. J. Brown, first aid and casualty clearing station; Mr. Elliott, B C Electric Railway Company; Adam Duncan, Department of Public Works; George Low Hutchenn, Sooke First Troop Boy Scouts; James William, Sooke school; G. F. Whiteing, for fire protection and Mr. George, for transportation. G. E. Ashton acted as secretary and James William as recording secretary.

Matters pertaining to A R P activity were dealt with. Dr. Brown's generous offer to make his residence a casualty clearing station was accepted.

The next Civilian Protection Committee meeting will be held on May 2 at 8 p.m. at the home of G. E. Ashton.

WILL SPEAK ON NAZIS IN POLAND

Dr. Joseph P. Junosza to Address Joint Luncheon Meeting on Tuesday at Empress Hotel

CLUB CALENDAR

MONDAY — Gyro Club, luncheon meeting, Empress Hotel, 12.10 p.m.

TUESDAY — Joint Kiwanis and Canadian Clubs' luncheon, Empress Hotel, 12.10 p.m.

THURSDAY — Rotary Club, luncheon meeting, Empress Hotel, 12.10 p.m.

Dr. Joseph P. Junosza will be the guest speaker at a joint luncheon meeting of the Kiwanis and Canadian Clubs on Tuesday on the subject "Germany's New Order in Poland."

The speaker served with the Polish army during the Bolshevik invasion of 1920 and again during the German and Russian occupation of his country in 1939. He continued his political and patriotic activities, escaping from the country in 1940.

Bruce Hutchison, newspaper columnist, will address the Rotary Club on Thursday noon. He will take as his topic "Britain and Us." The meeting will be open to the ladies and the general public if reservations are made ahead of time.

K. C. Symons, M.A., headmaster at St. Michael's School, will speak on "St. George's Day" at the Gyro Club luncheon tomorrow.

VETERAN DRUGGIST DIES

BELLEVILLE, Ont., April 19 (CP).—Albert L. Geen, ninety-two, who kept a drug store here for the last seventy years, died today. He was a past president of the Retail Merchants Association of Canada.

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City Permits Valued at $31,360 During Week Include Six Dwellings

MUNICIPALITIES IN AREA SHOW ACTIVITY

Seventeen permits for new construction and alterations valued at $31,360 were issued by the city building inspector's department during the past week. They included six homes to cost $18,350.

Permits issued included J. H. and E. Hutchinson, five-room dwelling at 716 Craigflower Road, $2,900; C. Foot, five-room house at 2515 Cook Street, $2,950; Dr. W. W. Stewart, six-room home at 1560 Despard Avenue, $5,000; alterations to the Atlas Theatre at 836 Yates Street, $8,000; Mrs. I. Browne, four-room home at 854 Pembroke Street, $2,500; A. D. Noble, four-room house at 2341 Howard Street, $2,000; G. B. Leckie, five-room dwelling at 21 Oswego Street, $3,000; Sidney Smart, conversion of a building at 120 Government Street into four suites, $3,000, and a $500 permit to Ryan & Hibberson to convert a house at 901 Burdett Avenue into a two-family dwelling.

OAK BAY PERMITS

Owing to the closing of the Oak Bay municipal offices during the Easter holidays last week the building permits for two weeks show a total for that period of $62,300. In Saanich the building permits for the past week totaled $35,675. Esquimalt issued no permits during the past week.

Among the Oak Bay buildings planned is an apartment house of forty-seven rooms to be erected at 1354 Beach Drive at a cost of $28,000 by F. Talbot; a five-roomed home at 735 Island Road costing $3,000 to be erected by Chamberlain & Alton; the same builders will erect another five-roomed home costing $3,000 at 749 Island Road; V. L. Leigh will build a five-roomed home costing $3,500 at 157 Barclay Street; a five-roomed home costing $3,500 will be erected by K. Hemsworth at 2663 Musgrave Street; another five-roomed home costing $5,000 will be built at 2700 Dewdney Avenue; K. Hemsworth will build a five-roomed home costing $4,000 at 535 Falkland Road; at 1072 Deal Street E. Holmes will build a seven-roomed home costing $3,100; K. Quill will build a six-roomed home costing $4,000 at 1745 Lulie Street; a five-roomed home costing $3,000 will be built at 2367 Rosario Street by J. A. Pollard; A. J. Burrows will build at 2771 Thompson Avenue a five-roomed home costing $3,500.

SAANICH HOMES

In Saanich J. H. Britton will build on Crees Avenue a four-roomed home costing $1,600; a four-roomed home costing $1,900 will be built by T. Blackwood on Vernon Avenue, at a cost of $1,600 a four-roomed home will be erected on Crees Avenue by J. C. Coleman, on Quadra Street a five-roomed home will be built at a cost of $2,800; E. and A. Watt will erect a home of four rooms costing $1,600 on Regina Avenue, on Cadillac Avenue; C. and H. Chaplin will build a four-roomed home costing $1,600; Mrs. E. Fenton will build a four-roomed home on Crees Avenue costing $1,600; on Raymond Avenue a five-roomed home will be built at a cost of $2,300; T. Lomas will build on Derby Road a four-roomed home costing $1,600; A. E. Scroggs will build a five-roomed home costing $2,000 at Leslie Drive and Savannah Avenue; T. and N. Stubbs will build on Vantreight Lane a five-roomed home at a cost of $2,875; G. L. Wherrell will build on Crees Avenue a four-roomed home costing $2,000; Homewood Construction Company will build on Frechette Street a four-roomed home at a cost of $2,200; H. C. Norrie will build on Earl Grey Street a five-roomed home at a cost of $2,000; William G. Orey will build two houses on Cadboro Bay Road each containing five rooms and costing $2,000 each, and K. Earl will erect a four-roomed home on Bevlac Street at a cost of $1,800.

SCOUT NEWS

OAK BAY UNITED TROOP

The meeting on Friday evening of the Oak Bay United Troop was opened by Duty Patrol Leader Jim Kinghorn of the Beaver Patrol. All those who took the St. John Ambulance examination on April 10 passed it and were awarded their ambulance man's badge at the opening horse-shoe. M. Murphy and Mitchel received their first-year star. Patrol Leaders J. Kinghorn, B. Bartlet and H. Murphy, Secretary R. Ross and R. Latham received their second-year stars, and Patrol Leader M. Bracewell received his third-year star. After patrol corner a game was played. Five Scouts of the Oak Bay United Troop and nine of St. Mary's Troop attended the Easter camp at Grant Lake from April 14 to 18. There will be a church parade today to the Oak Bay United Church at which the troop flag will be dedicated.

NORTH QUADRA WOLF CUBS

The meeting of the North Quadra Cubs was held on Friday evening, opening with grand howl and flag-break, followed by inspection in corners. Dues were collected. A game of relay was played outdoors. Cubs worked on tenderpad, first star signaling and first aid. Gerry Ralph, Bobby Flint, Sidney Salmon and Jimmy Mooney passed their law and promise. Games were played. The meeting closed with grand howl and Cub prayer.

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PRESS SERVICE HEAD IS VISITING VICTORIA

C. F. Crandall, head of the British United Press, arrived in Victoria recently from Montreal and is spending a few days holidaying here before returning East on Monday.

Accompanied by Mrs. Crandall the visitor is registered at the Oakbay Beach Hotel.

VICHY, France, April 18 (AP).—The Petain Government announced today that France has withdrawn from the League of Nations under the provision which gives any member the right to withdraw after two-year notification.

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WAR'S COSTLY LESSONS

Yugoslavia has been crushed and conquered within a fortnight. The stubborn resistance of Greek and British forces has been rolled back along the slopes of Mount Olympus. Heavily outnumbered in man-power, facing greatly superior air strength and preponderating mechanical equipment in the field, the defence of Greece, magnificently heroic as it is, gives evidence of proving a task facing too great odds. The release of a large portion of the German Army used in the campaign in Yugoslavia to reinforce the enemy on the Grecian front has made the situation one of grave peril. That it might be such was realized from the beginning, but not to the extent that has developed, for the hope was that the resistance of Yugoslavia would be prolonged. It has crumbled and collapsed.

There are evidences that the Greeks and British are fighting a rearguard action. With the ever-increasing strength of the German attacks it is not humanly possible that this can be sustained for long. The situation obviously has to be faced of the ultimate evacuation of the Imperial forces from Greece, a happening which could prove a repetition, on a smaller scale, of the epic of Dunkerque. So long as the Greeks determine to go on fighting, the British will fight with them, but, even now, it is apparent that the British have not the man-power and mechanical equipment that could be brought to the scene of action in time to turn the tide of battle. The Imperial resources that it has been possible to send to the Mediterranean area have necessarily been limited and a considerable percentage of these have had to be employed in Africa. The Germans foresaw this in planning their drive in the Balkans and created a diversion in Libya so that British aid to Greece would be proportionately handicapped.

It is costly in men and materials learning the tactics that Germany has applied to modern warfare. It is all the more costly because so many forlorn hopes have to be attempted. Great Britain was pledged to give aid to Greece and has done so to the extent of her ability, but that ability has been of the definitely limited kind. The British Empire is still without sufficient man-power in the field, without the immense strength in mechanical equipment that is required against such a war machine as the Germans possess, and still is inferior to the enemy in air power as applied in battles on land. These three facts are being emphasized anew and they illustrate once again that the efforts of the Empire to build up the forces that will lead to ultimate triumph must be redoubled, must be reinforced by all possible means, and without delay.

It is not the part of wisdom to rely in undue fashion on the great and increasing aid in materials that the United States is giving to the British cause. That is a matter that hinges very largely on the extent to which those materials are able to reach British shores, or other shores where British forces are fighting. While so much public attention is centred on the fighting in Greece, and on the German thrust to the frontiers of Egypt, it cannot be forgotten that the Battle of the Atlantic is being waged with increasing fury; that the enemy will use every means in his power to frustrate the lend-lease policy of the United States. One aspect of that policy was proclaimed as meaning that assistance would be given to Yugoslavia in her fight for freedom, but that Balkan state was conquered before anything could be done in that respect. It is upon her own internal resources that the Empire must rely in the main, and most of all in the matter of man-power. Some scores of thousands of German troops have been wiped out by the Allies in the Battle of Greece, but it must be remembered that within recent months the Nazi cause has secured new armies, that the man-power of the forces of aggression is now greater than at the start of the war, and that the industrial strength of Germany is not less but far greater, since she has put labor to work in the occupied countries on behalf of her military machine. All this is the story of what this war entails to bring about the fall of Hitlerism. That task is far and away the most formidable one that has ever faced the British Empire. It calls for efforts beyond those that are now in process of being brought to fruition, as the lesson of events in Greece, with what it implies in the Mediterranean area, is being written into the history of the times.

FIRST THINGS FIRST

It needs a host of reminders to the pedants and doctrinaires of the present day that, in the light of the crisis through which humanity is passing, there is need, powerful need, to keep humble, to keep going forward and to keep a balanced mind. This is the message for this and more hopeful times given by the Very Rev. Professor Archibald Main in an article in The Glasgow Herald. One thing he deprecates and that is undue elation over victories in the war because what lies ahead is a stern struggle against an implacable foe. Some people, he says, are in danger of losing their sense of perspective. There are those who are not "going forward" and there are those who are "going forward" too quickly. In explanation of what he means, Professor Main has the following to say:

"The former are the people who even now fail to realise that we are engaged in a life-and-death struggle for survival and have not the imagination to picture what a Hitler triumph would certainly mean. The latter are the people who, in sermon, speech or broadcast, are clamoring for the instant architecture of a brave new world. The questions they are asking are: What are our peace aims? What is to be our new order? How shall we promote social justice in our country? We must have vision and visionaries if we are to be worthy of our traditions and the 'vision splendid' has inspired many a notable achievement in our history. There is a noble text from the Bible which declares that 'where there is no vision, the people perish.' But whilst we pay our tribute to the men and women who see visions and dream dreams, we must remember to put first things first. What if we lose the war? The paramount war aim is victory. The classic beginning of a cookery recipe for hare soup must be well known. This axiomatic truth must be emphasized, and it should not be forgotten that our responsible leaders have more than once declared certain principles which must be the basis of a real and lasting peace. Yet of late some of our ecclesiastics, publicists, and even novelists, have leaped into the arena—some of them with little noticeable reticence or humility—to declare the gospel of the new world that will emerge after our victory. Who knows how such victory will come? One may safely prophesy that it will not come in the expected fashion. Furthermore, may one be permitted to hope that when an adventure into the field of economics is made, it will not be left entirely to amateurs? Ne sutor supra crepidam."

SPENDTHRIFT ZEAL

Despite a very widespread expression of public opinion to the contrary, the Dominion Government has decided to go ahead and take the decennial census next June, at a cost of some $2,750,000, as provided for in the Estimates. This sum is, to a very great extent, for the payment of those who will do the counting of heads and the assemblage of other information a census entails. It is significant that some weeks ago a report appeared in The Journal of Ottawa to the effect that the Canadian Federation of Teachers had volunteered to take the census free of cost. Miss Eleanor Anderson, president, said that in Ontario alone there were 25,000 teachers available for that purpose and anxious to undertake the task next June. She said no reply had been received to this offer of voluntary help.

The question was recently raised in the House of Commons when a member sought to secure from the Minister of Finance an expression of opinion as to whether the Government considered taking of the census an essential part of the war effort. The same member wanted to know if the offer of the Canadian Federation of Teachers to do the work voluntarily had been rejected. The only reply that could be secured from the Minister of Finance was that the time to discuss the census was when the appropriation for that purpose was being considered in the Estimates. Meantime, the purpose of the Government is to go ahead, to spend nearly $3,000,000 on the taking of a census which is wholly unnecessary at this time and involves outlays needed for war purposes. There are few if any evidences of economy in administration at Ottawa. The census, and to a far greater degree what is proposed in the way of the expenditure on the St. Lawrence Seaway, are evidences of a policy of spendthrift zeal.

LONDON BURNING

Gone are the churches, tall watchmen of the city,
Gone are the landmarks that London used to know;
Great halls and ancient walls, fallen, warped and charred now
Gone are the chiming steeples, cracked and jarred now,
Gone are the bookmen of Paternoster Row.

Red roared the fire through the heart of London's city,
Hurled from the clouds by a brute and savage foe.
They who their own land robbed of light and learning
Kindled the books here a brand for London's burning,
Lighted the bonfire of Paternoster Row.

Long shall men mourn the burning of the city,
As long as London town shall stand, or London's river flow,
Mourn the long-treasured links with gentler ages,
Wealth of the humble, old shrines for pilgrimages,
St. Bride's and All Hallow's and Paternoster Row.

Low they shall lie, the wreckers of the city
Great Gog and Magog will strike a triple blow,
Once for the Guildhall, of worship and of fame there,
Twice for the white spires given to the flame there,
And thrice for the bookmen of Paternoster Row.

—Sagittarius in The London New Statesman and Nation

THE SIGNAL CRY

March month is come; with rush and roar
He hammers at the quivering door;
The forest bends beneath the rain,
The harsh hail crackles on the pane

The storm is loud but not alone;
That shout was battle's warrior tone,
The voice that shook yon stormy sky
Was haughty England's signal cry!

—R. S. Hawker (temp. Crimean War).

Faith lights us through the dark to Deity; faith builds a bridge across the gulf of death, to break the shock that Nature cannot shun, and lands thought smoothly on the further shore.—Young.

Experience is a jewel, and it had need be so, for it is often purchased at an infinite rate.—Shakespeare.

The Weather

Meteorological Office, Victoria, B.C., at 7.00 p.m., April 18, 1941.

SYNOPSIS OF WEATHER CONDITIONS

The weather has been mostly fair, except occasionally cloudy along the Alberta border.

The Prairie have been partly cloudy and mild.

PRECIPITATION AND TEMPERATURES

(Precipitation for twelve hours to 5.00 p.m.; temperatures for twenty-four hours.)

	Precipitation	Min	Max.
Victoria	..	43	58
Nanaimo	..	36	64
Vancouver	..	37	61
Kamloops		37	72
Prince George		23	68
Estevan Point		38	57
Prince Rupert		37	58
Langara		42	50
Dawson		29	54
Seattle		35	68
Portland	..	37	72
San Francisco		49	62
Spokane		30	66
Penticton		30	67
Vernon		32	..
Kelowna		22	..
Grand Forks		21	
Nelson		21	66
Kaslo		29	
Cranbrook		22	64
Calgary	.02	33	30
Edmonton		32	57
Swift Current		24	52
Regina		21	50
Prince Albert	Trace	30	51
Winnipeg	..	26	52

SATURDAY

Minimum	43
Maximum	58
Average	50
Minimum on the grass	33

Weather, clear.

Sunshine, April 18, 12 hours 24 minutes.

5:00 P.M. WEATHER REPORTS

Victoria — Barometer, 30.16, wind, SW., 10 miles, clear.

Vancouver — Barometer 30.16, wind, W., 5 miles, clear.

Kamloops—Barometer, 30.11; calm; fair.

Prince George—Barometer, 30.08, wind E., 2 miles; fair.

Prince Rupert—Barometer, 30.21; wind N., 5 miles, fair.

Langara—Barometer, 30.18; wind S., 10 miles, cloudy.

Estevan Point — Barometer, 30.25, wind, NW., 15 miles, clear.

Tatoosh—Barometer, 30.22; wind, W., 8 miles; clear.

Portland — Barometer, 30.09, wind, NW., 10 miles, clear.

Seattle—Barometer, 30.13, wind, W.-NW., 15 miles; clear.

San Francisco—Barometer, 30.06, wind, W., 21 miles; fair.

Note and Comment

By SANDHAM GRAVES

THE WEEK

Sunday, April 13.—Battle for the Mediterranean continues in eighth day of Spring drive. On home front, Luftwaffe plunges by night at docks at Bristol and Portsmouth in fire and demolition raids. R.A.F. pounds hard at Scharnhorst and Gneisenau at Brest, seadromes and sub bases at Bordeaux, and factories and rails at Dusseldorf. R.A.F. counts forty planes as night-time bag for week. On Libyan coast, Italo-German columns, [illegible] 120,000 strong, with some heavy armored divisions, reach Derna and Tobruk; pushing in light British mechanised screens. Luftwaffe pounds Tobruk. R.A.F. smashes thirty-eight enemy planes in air and on ground, hammering columns on coast road. Tobruk held by British garrison. On Yugo-Grecian front Hungarians join Axis in attack on Yugoslavia. Units of Yugoslav army forced asunder by five-point Axis attack. Russia makes verbal protest to Hungary. Germans drive hard at junction Yugoslav and Grecian forces. Italians seep in at northwest of Yugoslavia and in Albania. Stukas and R.A.F. fighters battle over passes in border hills, and both sides splatter back-area communications. Luftwaffe bombs Piraeus five times in one day, losing number of planes. Anglo-Grecian line holds firmly on the right. U.S.A. assumes defence of Greenland. British drive ahead in East Africa.

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Monday, April 14.—Ninth day. On home front, Luftwaffe renews night attacks on ports on northeast coast. R.A.F. pounds L'Orient and Brest. Berlin has its heaviest raid of war. British-Norwegian naval party raids Norwegian coast north of Tromsoe. Boeing four-motor bombers ferried across Atlantic in approximately seven hours. In Libya, Italo-German columns reported past Bardia and Tobruk as far as Salum. British making stand at Tobruk, Capuzzo and Salum. Luftwaffe pounds Malta and Tobruk. R.A.F. raps columns on desert road and coast airdromes. On Grecian front, bitter fighting at Monastir Pass. British stop elite corps of S.S. troops in hand-to-hand fighting. Allied right holds, but left in danger. Line reformed and strengthened, with retarding action in passes and strong points on hills. R.A.F. stabs at communications. Luftwaffe in continuous raids over heads of tanks. German infantry thrown recklessly to their death at points. Belgrade and Serajevo reported flattened by Axis air attack. Belgrade occupied. Quislings heard in Croatia, which is made independent state. Russian-Japanese five-year neutrality pact signed at Moscow. Emperor Selassie at Addis Ababa. East African truce rumored.

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Tuesday, April 15.—Tenth day. On home front, Coventry buries 3,000 dead after second group-bombing night raid. Easter services were held undaunted in open-roofed cathedral. R.A.F. returns to Brest reporting hits on Scharnhorst and Gneisenau. In Libya heavy fighting continues at Tobruk and Salum. Confirmation of heavy German tanks in area. R.A.F. bags twenty-two Italo-German planes, ending Stuka raids on Tobruk. Capuzzo changing hands alternately in patrol skirmishing. On Grecian front Germans advance lower into Greece through Yugoslav breaches. Italians and Germans reported joined in field. Greeks distinguish themselves in hand-to-hand fighting at passes before plains. German losses unprecedented. British right holds but left again shortened to meet Albanian flank threat. Terrific air and counter air attacks on whole Grecian front. Greeks retire from most Albanian gains, to form shorter and stronger line. Mexico has severe earthquake.

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Wednesday, April 16. — Eleventh day. On home front London is bombed from dusk to dawn in heaviest raid of war. Belfast visited. R.A.F. pounds Channel coast from Cap Gris Nez to L'Orient spot-raiding Kiel. Night fighters lift bag to eight. In Libya Royal Navy catches Italo-German convoy off Sicily, sinking three destroyers, two transports and three supply ships for loss of one British destroyer torpedoed. Navy pounds Libyan coast road and Tobruk area. In East Africa Duke of Aosta allegedly suing for peace as that campaign nears end in British favor. On Grecian front Allied position admitted to be grave. Right of line holds at Mount Olympus but left and centre under extreme pressure by unremitting Axis attacks made regardless of punitive losses in man power. Air battle wages all out. R.A.F. outnumbered but effective and game. Greeks contesting every inch of soil with unsurpassed courage. Italian seeping along Albanian border, on left flank. New Allied line holding.

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Thursday, April 17.—Twelfth day. On home front, R.A.F. slams at Bremen, Kiel and Channel coast by day; and interior points in North-west Germany by night. On Libyan front, Italo-German columns reported stopped before Salum. Heavy desert fighting. Capuzzo changes hands. British sorties at Tobruk. Royal Navy shells coast road, and catches heavy transport columns. On Grecian front, Axis attacks, with ten divisions, developing at centre and left. Australians reported in heavy fighting on slopes of Mount Olympus. Two German divisions stopped in the open and annihilated. Allies reported consolidating position, under heavy air barrage. R.A.F. batters communications. Yugoslavia conceded elimination on Grecian front; though Serbs still fighting on in southwest hills. Three French submarines and destroyer pass Gibraltar on way to North African coast.

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Friday, April 18.—Thirteenth day. On home front, R.A.F. pounds heart of Berlin in heaviest single British raid of war. New four-motor bombers and new explosives brought into play. Luftwaffe stabs at Portsmouth, docks and shipping. R.A.F. night fighters' bag mounts to sixty-eight in period. In Libya, Italo-German forces reported halted before Tobruk and Salum, and on defensive. Royal Navy maintains coast road barrage with effect. British consolidated East African gains. On Grecian front, issue developing without decisive move. Anglo-Greek line holds. Heavy fighting reported on both flanks, Germans using infantry in front of tank charges. German tanks prove vulnerable. Austrian officers found dead on field, shot in the back. Axis pressure is maintained and is increasing. British prepare base line, and pound Axis communications. Epic battles on Mount Olympus.

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Saturday, April 19.—Fourteenth day of Spring drive. On home front Luftwaffe returns over London. R.A.F. hands it back. British force sent to Iraq, east of Syria, with assent of country. Battle for Mediterranean bowl is developing. Reports from Libya and East Africa light, without detail. On Grecian front, Allied line holds tenaciously, with air action intensified on both sides. Axis reported reinforcing attack with troops released in Yugoslavia. Pressure maintained despite heavy losses by the aggressors. Greek ministry reformed. Von Papen leaves Istanbul for Berlin. An Axis week, on points.

The Observation Car

By THE EDITORIAL STAFF

Stuck With It!

It was reported at the recent Parent-Teacher Federation convention here that the home economics committee was still hoping to have a home economics-degree course instituted at the University of British Columbia. On Friday afternoon many of the delegates visited Craigflower School. One of the ladies noticed there was a piece of newspaper stuck to her chair when she sat down for tea. Suspecting fresh paint she made a closer examination of the sheet. It turned out to be a 1938 issue and right in the middle of the page was a letter from a West Vancouver P.-T. Association, urging the Government to establish a chair for home economics to be endowed at U.B.C. Well, another three years and success may crown the efforts of the energetic federation.—W.I.P.

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Advice Analyzed

A convention news bulletin handed out to B.C. Parent-Teacher Federation delegates contained the following advice with our humble comments in quotation marks. Concentrate on essentials. "Who is capable of ruling what is essential?" Observe carefully. "But do not stare rudely or snoop." Never knock. "But it is rude to barge right in without knocking." Vanquish care. "Nobody has been able to do it yet." Express yourself. "But watch Defence of Canada Regulations." Notate accurately. "Accuracy is almost a lost art." Think clearly. "If you can." Inquire frequently. "At risk of being considered a pest?" Obtain inspiration. "From whom?" Nod and speak to everybody. "Surely it is better to be introduced first."

From the Keating Squire, "The last rain in my district spoiled all the small potatoes. It made them larger." . . . Bill the Broad Street barber, boasted to fellow knights of the shears that he was capable of writing a short story. After ruining twelve sheets of paper and wearing down four pencils this is all he produced: "She stepped lightly into the room with an echo like the 8.30 gun. All the polish she wore on her finger nails. Her jaw had never taken no for an answer. She was as inconsiderate as an alarm clock. Her mind was like a flash of lightning, quick but crooked."—O.B.

FIFTY YEARS AGO TODAY

(From The Daily Colonist of April 21, 1891)

And Still Another—The steamer Mexico, which passed up to Departure Bay and Alaska on Sunday morning, reported breaking one or two blades of her propeller while in Seattle harbor. The cause of the mishap was a waterlogged pile of which dozens are said to be floating upright along Seattle's docks. The accident was not sufficient to prevent the Mexico from proceeding on her trip. She had 126 passengers aboard including the first Alaska excursion party of the year, and carried very little freight.

Work Commenced—The construction of the tramway line from Fort Street to Oak Bay Beach was commenced yesterday by Mr T. F. Sinclair, the contractor, who has a gang of fifty men busy. A steam plough, a steam drill, horses and mules are also employed, and track laying is expected to be commenced in about a fortnight. The road will be ready for service in about thirty days, and cars will be put on at once, half-hour trips being made to and from the Fort Street cars.

Indian Potlach — The Indians on this Island intend giving another Potlach at Chemainus on Friday and Saturday of this week. A big time is expected, as the tribes are making great preparations for the occasion. There will be races of all kinds and athletic sports, and at nine they will hold a war dance.

Wendle Park Is Created at Bonner Lake

Comprising 640 acres, a new class "A" park was created by the Provincial Government by order in council on Friday of forest reserve lands in the vicinity of Bonner and Wendle Lakes. The new reserve will be known as Wendle Park, and has been set aside for public use and recreation.

Letters to the Editor

No letter to the Editor will be inserted except over the proper signature and address of the writer. This rule admits of no exception. No letter should exceed 300 words in length.

SALVAGE CAMPAIGN

Sir,—A good deal of confusion has been caused in the minds of our citizens through the chance coincidence that the date selected by the Dominion Government to put on a radio and billboard advertising campaign for a "Salvage Week" is this current week.

The confusion is the worse from the fact that the help of the Dominion Government is confined to publicity, whereas the working out of the amazing number of complicated details is left to a handful of voluntary workers who realize someone must tackle this large scale business, and have with their eyes open placed themselves at the focal point or centre of every aspect of the affair of the "save-the-waste" demand of most of our citizens. The writer could enlarge on the details of the undertaking in many words, but suffice it to point out that the advertising put out by the Government is only partly applicable in the West, had it not been for the most generous support of the campaign (entirely gratuitous) our task would have been almost impossible. For instance, in Victoria it is impossible to sell bones, tin cans, number plates and other articles which we have already explained in our publicity.

Now, leaving the question of a nation-wide campaign, the local corps has had to carry out the following details, entirely unaided by the Government or any established charity.

1. Provide office equipment and help and telephone.

2. Provide storage and telephone and guards, and accommodation for guards.

3. Search out and tabulate means of disposal of more than fifty of the most likely classes of articles we are likely to receive.

4. Tabulate some twenty items which not only are unsaleable, but which if they accumulate in large quantity, would cost money to dispose of.

5. Provide a truck and competent drivers.

6. Arrange for training members of the corps to recognize different metals and appraise articles roughly.

7. Educate the public as to what can be used.

8. Attempt to make it possible for all citizens to have their salvage dealt with in the most economical way possible, by formation of a central depot organization and branch collecting depots.

9. Be able to intelligently answer the many questions which are asked us daily.

10. Arrange for transportation from outlying districts.

These problems are being successfully dealt with through the wonderful co-operation of many business firms.

The corps has been formed and is carrying on in the strictest conformity to advice issued on this subject by the Dominion Government, under control of the Red Cross Superfluities Store. This advice took the form of a letter to members of Parliament issued by the Department of War Services, dated Ottawa, February 5, 1941.

The following extracts will be interesting.

(a) All waste material should be obtained free of charge.

(b) Gathering, sorting, packing thereof should be done by voluntary organizations.

(c) Sale of salvage material should, as far as possible and advisable, be done through the regular channels of trade, as many hundreds of our citizens are making their living out of the salvage business, and it is not the desire of the Government to disturb that business.

(d) Proceeds to be used for some war charity.

(e) Care should be exercised not to interfere with the sources of supply of social service agencies already carrying on social service work in the various communities of Canada.

(f) Premises should be obtained free of charge.

(e) Necessary machinery should be set up to gather things to be salvaged.

(f) It will be necessary for the local voluntary organizations to conduct an investigation as to what articles can profitably be salvaged as these vary in every community.

All the above advice has been meticulously adhered to and the entire organization set going without appealing to any government or organization for funds. It is being conducted with the approval of the Government, civic authorities, Co-ordinating Council of War Charities, the Red Cross and the Salvation Army.

A. H. PEASE.

1220 Government St., Victoria, B.C., April 18, 1941.

IN THE UNITED STATES

Sir,—The radio recently announced that Prime Minister King was meeting the President of the United States on matters of business as well as friendship. This is quite understandable but the radio added that while in the States he would go to the Johns Hopkins Hospital for a "thorough overhauling." Such a statement makes Canadians ask why this important "overhauling" could not have been equally well done by our very eminent doctors in Canada. One is forced to the conclusion that all the noted doctors are possibly Conservatives.

Much else I would like to discuss and many questions could well be asked, such as his ability to take money out of this country. "Overhauling" by eminent men is so liable to be very expensive, but I will leave all this to abler pens than mine.

A. J. BOLTON.

St. James Apartments, Victoria, B.C., April 18, 1941.

IN TIME OF CRISIS

Sir,—In your sports column this morning you make mention of an impending golf tournament at Vancouver. Is this a time for golf tournaments? Is it not time that the Government at Ottawa, together with the men and women of this Dominion, realised that we are engaged in a deadly struggle for our survival as a civilised people?

T. A. RICKARD.

Union Club, Victoria, B.C., April 18, 1941.

Sunrise and Sunset

APRIL

Times of sunrise and sunset (Pacific Standard Time) at Victoria, B.C., for the month of April, 1941.

Date	Sunrise	Sunset	Date	Sunrise	Sunset
1	5 32	18 43	16	5 22	18 06
2	5 30	18 45	17	5 20	18 07
3	5 48	18 46	18	5 18	18 08
4	5 46	18 48	19	5 16	18 10
5	5 44	18 49	20	5 14	18 11
6	5 40	18 51	21	5 12	18 13
7	5 40	18 52	22	5 10	18 14
8	5 38	18 54	23	5 08	18 16
9	5 36	18 55	24	5 06	18 17
10	5 34	18 57	25	5 05	18 18
11	5 32	18 58	26	5 03	18 20
12	5 30	19 00	27	5 01	18 21
13	5 28	19 01	28	4 59	18 23
14	5 26	19 03	29	4 58	18 24
15	5 24	19 04	30	4 56	18 26

Meteorological Office, Gonzales Heights, Victoria, B.C.

LONDON, April 18 (CP).—St. Andrew's, the largest church designed by Sir Christopher Wren, was destroyed in recent air raids on London.

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Bradfoot Grocery	Cedar Hill Crossroad	Lake Hill Grocery	Quadra Street
Brentwood Mercantile	Brentwood	Le Vack's Grocery	Quadra Street
Brookman's Corner	Gorge Road West	Marigold Grocery	Marigold Avenue
Cadboro Bay Postoffice	Cadboro Bay	Mt Tolmie Grocery	Richmond Road
Colquitz General Store	Wilkinson Road	Murphy's Grocery	Glynn
Crosby's Grocery	Tillicum Road	Parkdale Grocery	Douglas Street
Craig's Grocery	Boleskine Road	Price's Grocery	Burnside Road
Davis Grocery	Douglas Street	Rand's Grocery	Dysart Avenue
Davie's Grocery	Sims Avenue	Red & White Store	Burnside Road
E Lee's Grocery	Verdier Ave., Brentwood	Reif's Grocery	Richmond Road
Elk Lake Grocery	East Saanich Road	Sevenoaks Grocery	Carey Road
Gordon Head Grocery	Gordon Road	Shelley's Cash Grocery	Carey Road
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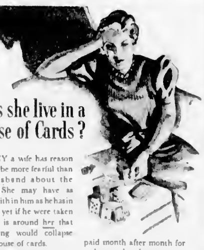
MUSICAL PROGRAMME

A splendid programme was presented by talented young members of the Musical Art Society Friday evening in the Victoria Truth Centre Hall. The proceeds, of about $40 will be placed in the funds of the W A to the Children's Aid Society. Mrs A C James, president of the W A to the C A S, thanked the artists, Mrs R D McCaw, convener, and Mrs J B Cameron for special assistance generously given.



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P.-T. Federation Delegates See School

Shown above are two views of the visit of delegates to the nineteenth annual British Columbia Parent-Teacher Federation to Craigflower School, oldest remaining school in the province and scene of the organization of the first Parent-Teacher Association in Canada. In the top picture are four of the original members of the first P.-T.A., which met in the new school on September 8, 1915. Mrs W Lorimer, president of the first association, was unavoidably absent. Reading from left to right are: Mrs N. Phillips, Mrs. Mary Warren, Mrs. J. S. Yates (a former pupil of the old Craigflower School), Mrs. B Clair and Miss Betti Clair, who was a babe-in-arms at the first meeting. The lower picture shows delegates seated in front of the school.

SAANICH BOARD TO HOLD BANQUET

Annual Dinner at Brentwood Women's Institute Hall to Be Attended by Many

The school banquet of the Saanich Board of Trade will be held on Tuesday evening at the Brentwood Women's Institute Hall, Brentwood Bay. Arrangements have been completed to make the affair an outstanding one. Supper will be served at 7 o'clock by the members of the Brentwood Women's Institute. Reeves and councillors from the neighboring municipalities have accepted invitations to attend and many organizations will be represented.

The following entertainers will be presented during the evening: Frank Merryfield, Cornish wizard; Bert White, Chinese comedian and trick violinist; Reg Stofer, female impersonator, musical saws and whistler; Tom Hunt, flexatone solos and comedian, and Tom Haddon, comedian.

Tickets can be obtained from any of the members or at the door at the Brentwood Hall. The net proceeds will go to the Queen Alexandra Solarium.

Obituary

TAYLOR—There passed away in the Ladysmith General Hospital, after an accident on Friday afternoon, Charles Godfrey Taylor, aged twenty-eight years. He was born in Victoria, where he resided all his life until recently, when he lived in Ladysmith. He is survived by his widow, at Ladysmith; his stepfather and his mother, Mr and Mrs Charles Eccleston, and a stepsister and a stepbrother of Elk Lake Road, Saanich; his grandparents, Mrs Loviace Taylor, Kent, England, and Mrs. Mary McGee, of this city. He was the son of the late Major Charles Taylor, who was killed in the Great War. The remains are resting at Sands Mortuary, Ltd., and the funeral will take place on Tuesday at 2 o'clock. Rev. Canon H. V. Hitchcox will officiate, and the remains will be laid at rest in the Royal Oak Burial Park.

MENDHAM—There passed away suddenly yesterday, at his home on Carey Road, George William Mendham, aged sixty years. He was born in Suffolk, England, and had been a resident of this city for the past thirty years and was employed by the C P R as a welder for more than forty years. He had many friends in this city. The remains are resting at Sands Mortuary, Ltd., and the day of the funeral will be announced later.

UNDERWOOD — The funeral of Thomas Alfred Underwood took place yesterday afternoon in Sands Mortuary, Ltd. Rev. James Hood officiated. The hymn sung was "Lead, Kindly Light." A large gathering of sympathizing friends were in attendance, and beautiful flowers covered the casket and floral racks. The pallbearers were C W Jordan, A H Nunn, P Gibson, W J Knotts, R. D. Love and R Barrie. The remains were laid at rest in Royal Oak Burial Park.

ATKINSON — The funeral of Thomas John Atkinson will take place on Tuesday at 3 30 o'clock from Sands Mortuary, Ltd. The remains will be laid at rest in the Colwood Burial Park.

KNAPTON—Rev H A McLeod conducted the funeral service for Allan Knapton yesterday afternoon in Hayward's B.C. Funeral Chapel. The remains were laid at rest in the family plot in Ross Bay Cemetery, Captain the Rev. T. W. de Pencier taking the committal.

SONGHURST—Funeral services for Mrs. Caroline Songhurst will be held on Monday afternoon at 2 o'clock in St Barnabas' Church. Rev. Canon N E Smith will conduct the service, after which interment will be made in Colwood Burial Park. McCall Bros. are in charge of arrangements.

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GRIMSHAW, Alta., April 19 (CP)—John P Gaudet, seventy-two, native and pioneer trader of the Far North, will be buried on the banks of the Peace River near the town of Peace River in Northern Alberta tomorrow. He died on Thursday night.

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175	90.13	45.96	31.24	23.89	19.48	16.55	13.62
200	103.01	52.52	35.71	27.30	22.27	18.91	15.57
225	115.89	59.09	40.17	30.71	25.05	21.28	17.51
250	128.76	65.66	44.63	34.13	27.83	23.64	19.46
275	141.64	72.22	49.09	37.54	30.61	26.00	21.40
300	154.51	78.79	53.56	40.95	33.40	28.37	23.35
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Cable of Protest Comes to Australia's Prime Minister in London

BRISBANE, Queensland, April 18 (P)—Arthur W. Fadden, acting Prime Minister, today sent to Prime Minister Menzies, in London, a cable of protest concerning British methods of releasing war news.

He advised Mr. Menzies that, although he agreed that more news should be given out, nevertheless press reports often preceded official advices to the Government, a situation which he said he considered unsatisfactory.

Mr. Fadden's cable followed a series of newspaper protests along the same line. One of these appeared in an editorial in The Sydney Sun. It declared that delay in reporting bad news, coupled with prompt advice on successes, often resulted in giving the public the wrong perspective on events.

The newspaper added that the public became even more perplexed when the only word on events came from Germany, while the British War Office was silent.

It said that delay and suppression of bad news is futile, and the absence of real news is harder to bear than bad tidings.

Vast Oil Fields May Be Developed

PORT OF SPAIN, Trinidad, April 18 (P)—An agreement between Great Britain and Venezuela to make possible the development of vast oil fields some geologists believe lie below 4,000 square miles of water in the Gulf of Paria will be signed soon, it was announced today.

In return, Venezuela will recognize British sovereignty over uninhabited Soldado Rock at the southern entrance of the Gulf of Paria.

Announcements

John Howard Society, Victoria—Annual meeting Thursday, April 17 at 8 p.m., Y.W.C.A., Room D. Speaker: Mrs. Mary Nicholson, case worker for British Columbia, John Howard Society (Vancouver), on "Crime and Personality." The public are invited.

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Fresh Duck Eggs—Orders taken for ducklings. Brown eggs daily. Pick-an'-Pack Grocery, 709 Pandora. G 4916.

Victoria City Kennel Club Championship Dog Show at Willows, today, 1 p.m. to 10 p.m. Champion parade at 7.30.

Royal Oak Inn, just five miles out on Saanich Highway. Lunches, teas and dinners. Phone Colquitz 152 for reservations.

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City and District

Rehearsal Monday—Members of the Arion Club are requested to attend rehearsal Monday evening in preparation for a concert.

For Intoxication — A man who pleaded guilty to a charge of being intoxicated along Yates Street early yesterday morning was fined $25 in the city police court.

Leave for Training—A number of recruits will be leaving Victoria over the week-end for the military basic training centre at Vernon, it was learned at Command Headquarters here yesterday.

Is Remanded — An East Indian asked for a remand until Monday to secure counsel when he appeared yesterday in the city police court on a charge of being intoxicated while in control of a car on Friday.

False Coin — R. Halman, 1158 North Park Street, turned into the police station yesterday a one-cent piece covered with a shiny metal coating to represent a ten-cent coin. He said he had received it at a store in change.

Eight Fined—Six motorists were each fined $2.50 yesterday in the city police court for various infractions of parking regulations. Another paid a $5 fine for ignoring a stop sign. A truck driver was fined $2.50 for allowing wood to fall on a street.

Cars Damaged — Automobiles driven by William A. Troup, 506 Michigan Street, and Harry Monaghan, 2638 Roseberry Avenue, sustained considerable damage when they collided at Esquimalt and Tyee Roads early yesterday morning.

Attempted Entry—Two men passing the store of W. Pynn at 1810 Cook Street early yesterday morning saw two soldiers smash glass in the front door in an attempt to gain entry. They escaped on bicycles before the witnesses ran to the shop.

Considering Bonus—Provincial plans to implement a bonus on export shipments of eggs to the United Kingdom have now been submitted to legal advisers of the Province, Hon. K. C. MacDonald said yesterday. Action, the Minister of Agriculture stated, would follow shortly.

College Tests — Examinations in economic history commenced at Victoria College yesterday morning, followed by test papers on English, Latin and zoology in the afternoon. Tests will be resumed on Monday morning, and will continue until April 28.

Song Feature—Ernest J. Colton, baritone, will render "Army and Navy Veterans' Song" over radio station CBR at 8.30 o'clock Monday morning. The song was written by William P. Holmes, 639 Yates Street, in honor of Army & Navy Veterans in Canada, Victoria Unit No. 12.

Tag Day Successful—The Queen Alexandra Solarium Junior League tag yesterday netted the sum of $810.12. The committee desires to express its appreciation to those who assisted in tagging and to the general public for its generous support.

City Temperatures — Maximum and minimum temperatures recorded yesterday at the Dominion Meteorological Observatory on Gonzales Hill were 58 degrees and 43 degrees, respectively. The maximum temperature observed on the grounds of the Strathcona Hotel was 64 degrees and the minimum 38 degrees.

Window Smashed—Employees of Wilson & Cabeldu, Ltd., 871 Yates Street, found on arrival yesterday morning that a window on the Vancouver Street side of the premises had been smashed with a large stone. A bicycle owned by Robert Stevenson, 2927 Prior Street, was missing from the rear of the building.

St. Mary's Men's Guild—St. Mary's Men's Guild will hold its last meeting of the season in the hall on Thursday next at 8 p.m., when the speaker will be Captain Elmore Philpott, who will give an address on the European situation. This subject should be of outstanding interest to everyone, and a cordial invitation is extended to all men of the district to attend.

Programme Discontinued—Owing to the stress and increase of military duties, the weekly Monday night programme over CPCT, "No. 11 District on Parade," has had to be discontinued, it was announced yesterday by Lieut.-Col. G. G. Aitken, G.C. No. 11 District Depot. These concerts have been very popular and general regret will be felt by the radio public at their enforced discontinuance.

Delay Appeal—Further delay is anticipated in the city's appeal against a ruling of the Public Utilities Commission which set a rate of 8.75 cents per thousand gallons on water supplied to Oak Bay. Argument was to have been heard before the Court of Appeal next Wednesday, but further time will be necessary to revise the appeal books on the case.

Order Denied—In a Supreme Court judgment handed down yesterday by Mr. Justice H. S. Robertson, an application for an order of mandamus sought by the Crown was dismissed. By means of the order, the Crown sought to appeal to a higher court against a County Court ruling which quashed conviction of George D. McLean by an Alberni police court magistrate on January 22 on a charge of dangerous driving.

Office Ransacked—Thieves who broke into the Walter Walker Coal Company's office on Douglas Street by smashing a window early yesterday morning, knocked the dial off the office safe in an unsuccessful attempt to secure cash. They ransacked drawers, threw files and records on the floor, and then covered them with oil. Detectives David Donaldson and P. W. Richards investigated.

Valuable Publicity—The Victoria and Island Publicity Bureau has just been notified that a photograph of Thunderbird Park, taken for the bureau, is appearing on the front cover of the current issue of the magazine, Outdoors and In. An article describing the park in the heart of Victoria also appears in the magazine itself. This is the first photograph of Thunderbird Park to appear in any magazine.

To Report on Well—Hon. W. J. Asselstine is expected back in the city at the first of this week, and will report to the Government then on conditions affecting oil drilling operations at Commotion Creek, in the Peace River district, Premier Pattullo said yesterday. Mr. Asselstine flew to Dawson Creek on Wednesday, but later went on to Calgary, which is the headquarters of the drilling firm. There was no indication, meanwhile, that the stoppage in the bore had been cleared.

Differences Settled—Whatever may have been the differences between members of the Liberal caucus in the Provincial Legislature and the Pattullo Administration here, they were ironed out in Vancouver at a private meeting last week, it was learned yesterday at the Legislative Buildings. Returning from the meeting which several ministers attended, Premier Pattullo declared that "Pattullo luck" still held, and that Provincial Liberals would face the issue with confidence. No direct reference was made, however, to any decision which may have been reached at the meeting as to the date of a provincial general election.

Rodd Hill Concert—Troops stationed at Rodd Hill Fort were entertained on Friday evening by members of the "Art a Mo" concert party of the Army and Navy Veterans for two hours, which included motion pictures, orchestra selections and a diversified programme of turns by members of the troupe. The men of the camp showed their appreciation by prolonged applause. The orchestra was directed by R. Myires and composed James Watson, Joseph Leatham, Alfred Food and C. R. D. Ferris. Dick Colby was in charge of the pictures. Those assisting on the programme included Wilfred McKay, Al Harman, George Pinnington, Jack Lee, Gracie the Elephant, Arthur Veals, John McAllister, Joseph Dobbie, Robert Lea, Bill Holman and Stanley Pinnington.

HUNTING FOR NAZI FLYERS

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telegraph and telephone wires hummed with expectation.

After Colonel H. E. Stethem, director of internment operations, announced nine of the escaped men had been captured, it was learned from Mrs. David Duncan, of Schreiber, Ont., that a tenth escapee had been retaken. Mrs. Duncan is correspondent for The Port Arthur News-Chronicle at Schreiber.

ONE SHOT AND WOUNDED

She also said she had learned that one of the recaptured prisoners had been shot and wounded. A Canadian Pacific Railway section foreman, Mike Kopeck, had captured three of the prisoners when he came upon them in the bush.

Armed with a track shovel, with which he had been working, Kopeck threatened the men into submission and handed them over to the authorities.

Regarding the actual escape, Mrs. Duncan said she had learned that the escapees had left stuffed dummies in their beds to hoax the camp guards while they made their break. In a rock cut a short distance from the camp, searchers found some discarded clothes similar to that which internment prisoners wear.

The Schreiber newspaperwoman, however did not know whether the escaped men had changed to civilian clothes nor whether the Germans had food with them when recaptured.

ALL NON-COMMISSIONED

Colonel Stethem instructed persons happening to encounter the men to "use any force necessary" to capture them. He said that they were all non-commissioned members of the German Air Force.

The wholesale escape, which occurred a few hours before a "super guard" was to have been put on duty at the camps as insurance against any Nazi gestures because of Hitler's fifty-second birthday on Sunday, raised to sixty-one the number of prisoners who have evaded custody of internment authorities in Canada since the war's outbreak.

IMPERIAL FORCES ARRIVE IN IRAQ

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that the Government of Premier Sayid Rashid Ali Al Gailani, which obtained power by a coup earlier this month, was co-operating in receiving the British expedition, and informed sources considered that the move would strengthen Turkey's position in the face of possible German encroachment.

TRUE TO ASSURANCES

The announcement said that the "new Iraq Administration, true to the initial assurances given by Sayid Rashid Ali Al Gailani, are affording full facilities" and have sent a high officer to Basra to welcome the commanding British officer "and to collaborate with him."

Informed sources said it was unsafe to speculate on whether the development would have any possible bearing upon the status of Syria, a French mandate which separates Palestine from Turkey. Anti-Vichy sentiment has been strong there.

IS INDEPENDENT STATE

Oil-rich Iraq long has been mentioned as a sought-after prize.

Formerly under British mandate, the country has been recognized as an independent state since 1927.

Six-year-old Faisal II has been King under a regency for the past two years. The Government of Seyid Taha Al Hashimi was overthrown by a Nationalist military group on April 4.

British sources charged that the coup was due to Axis intrigue, since Iraq troops were reported to have seized a British air base near Bagdad. Subsequently the new Premier made a statement reaffirming Iraq's alliance with Britain.

Reports from Istanbul, Turkey, said the Iraq Government shakeup occurred because the army opposed a British demand for military control by Britain of the railways and oil fields.

ANTI-AIRCRAFT GUNS BREAK UP ATTACK

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Estuary turned some of the raiders back, forced others aside and permitted only a few to drop their flares and high explosives on the city.

OVER HOME COUNTIES

It was reported other Nazi bombers were over the Home Counties and several coastal towns, but it appeared the main weight of the Luftwaffe's foray on Hitler's fifty-second birthday was directed against London.

Despite the rising tempo of anti-aircraft fire and the droning of twisting bombers over the city, the attack as dawn neared had not developed into the fury of the heaviest raid of all on London, carried out last Wednesday night and Thursday morning.

The raid dwindled into attacks by single planes coming in from all points of the compass and dropping bombs as they flew high and fast over London.

FROM TWO DIRECTIONS

The Germans first roared on London from two directions early last night, scattering high explosives and incendiaries in many areas. But that attack was followed by a lull—believed due to a sudden and apparently temporary change in the weather.

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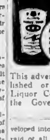
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Spring Garden Festival Will Open on April 30

A full programme of interesting activities has been planned for Victoria's annual Spring Garden Festival from April 30 to May 3, sponsored jointly by the Victoria Horticultural Society and management of the Empress Hotel, and held under [illegible] Lieutenant-Governor and Mrs Hamber.

The festival will open with the decorated tables display in the ballroom of the Empress Hotel under the auspices of the Junior W.A of the Royal Jubilee Hospital, the display to be open from 2 to 10 p.m. On Thursday, May 1, an address; "The Northwest In Flower" will be given in the Princess Louise room of the hotel by Mrs. Edith Hardin English, Seattle, and illustrated with colored slides. On Friday, May 2, there will be a "get-together" dinner in the Duke of Kent room, and on Saturday, May 3, a talk on "English and Scottish Gardens," with colored slides, will be given by Mr. W R Reader, superintendent of parks, Calgary, Alberta This will be given in the Princess Louise room at 8:30 p m.

Throughout the festival there will be an exhibition of flower paintings by Miss Emily Sartain, well-known British artist

GARDEN TOURS

A feature of the festival will be the garden tours arranged by courtesy of the owners of the following private gardens:

Wednesday, April 30 (morning)—Seaside gardens, Uplands, and Ten Mile Point: Mr. R W. Mayhew, M.P., 2125 Beach Drive, Mrs. Fred Robertson, Sinclair Road; Mrs. H Jutson Fisher, Tudor Road, Ten Mile Point; Mr. R. Kershaw, McAnally Road, Ten Mile Point; Mr. J. Parmly Paret McAnally Road, Ten Mile Point (Afternoon) Several out- [illegible] Barnard, "Clovelly," 701 Sea Terrace; Mr. R. H. Pooley, 1162 Old Esquimalt Road; Dr. Thos. McPherson, 956 Esquimalt Road; Mrs. David Spencer, 2906 Cook Street.

Thursday, May 1 (Morning): More seaside gardens. Buses will travel through Beacon Hill Park, Cook Street (note garden of Mr. John Day, 59 Cook Street), May Street, Howe Street, Dallas Road, Hollywood Crescent, Crescent Road (note hanging gardens, 1858 and 1968 Crescent Road):— Mr. J. N. Hatch, 182 Barkley Street; Mr. J. O. Worth, 273 King George Terrace; Mr. E. D. Todd, "Dainhurst," 508 Island Road; Mrs Gordon Hepburn, 1069 Beach Drive, Mrs H. R. Beaven, 1176 Beach Drive. (Afternoon): Gardens in the Rockland Ave. district Miss Kathleen Agnew, 1322 Rockland Avenue, Miss Lucy Angus, 1321 Rockland Avenue; Mrs. J. W. Benning, Jr. 1337 Rockland Avenue; Government House grounds. Rockland Avenue, Senator G. H Barnard, 1482 Rockland Avenue; Mr D. James Angus, 1817 Rockland Avenue, Mr. Horace Plimley, 1618 Rockland Avenue.

Friday, May 2 (morning): More gardens, Rockland Avenue district—Mrs. B. Wilson, 1770 Rockland Avenue, Mrs. W. C. Nichol, 1759 Rockland Avenue, Mr W Hobart Molson, 1663 Rockland Avenue, via St. Charles, Despard, Richmond and Chandler to Mr W P D Pemberton, 595 Foul Bay Road, Mr. A. Johnson, 2015 Runnymede Avenue; (afternoon): Gordon Head and Uplands. Col. S. L. McMullen, "Strangewood." Tyndall Avenue; Mr. D. Hunter Gordon, Ferndale Road; Mr. Harold Husband, "Queenswood," Arbutus Road; Miss M. L. Ogilvie, "Glenora," 2660 Lansdowne Road.

Saturday, May 3 (morning): Mostly small gardens: Mr. J. W. Spencer, 975 Joan Crescent; Mrs J. D. D Campbell, 1000 Joan Crescent; Mr Kenneth C Drury, "Sedum," 524 Island Road (note gardens in 500 block, Newport Avenue); Mr Charles F Goodrich, 1513 Prospect Place, Mrs W Ellis Brown, 1523 Prospect Place, Mrs. C F Armstrong, 1630 York Place; Mr. A T. Goward, 1605 York Place, (afternoon) A "sit-down" bus tour of gardens visible from the street The bus will travel slowly, stopping on request so that gardens may be viewed fully.

In addition, the garden of Mr Charles Lee, West Saanich Road, will be open to visitors during the festival; Benvenuto, the gardens of Mr. and Mrs. R. P. Butchart, are open to visitors every day; "Inglenook," the gardens of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Waddell, Maplewood Road, noted for primulas, polyanthus and pansies, are open every day and visitors are invited to the commercial gardens in and about Victoria.

Engagement Is Announced

—Photographs by Leonard Holmes

MR. A. STENBERG, R.C.N.V.R. MISS RENE COLES

Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Coles, 170 Olive Street, announce the engagement of their eldest daughter, Dorothy (Rene) to Mr. Albert Stenberg, R.C.N.V.R., younger son of Mr. F. E. Stenberg and the late Mrs Stenberg, Victoria. The marriage will take place at St. John's Church at 8 p.m. on May 21.

Banquet Held by Women of Lodge

The members of Victoria Lodge No. 83, Daughters of St George, held their annual St. George's Day banquet on Wednesday evening in the Sons of England Hall, about fifty members attending. The banquet tables were formed in the shape of the Cross of St. George and were decorated with silver baskets of red tulips and white narcissis, each guest's place being marked with a cleverly made paper favor. Tall red lighted tapers completed the effective setting.

Corsage bouquets of red and white carnations were presented to the president, Mrs L Morgan, and the president of Princess Patricia Lodge No. 238, Mrs. Wright, by Mrs A. Harris, the convener Mrs. M A. Penketh, Mrs. M Levy, Mrs E Rowebottom and Mrs Easler, all of whom are members of thirty or more years' standing were presented with corsage bouquets, as well as all the officers. The corsages were kindly donated by Mrs A Harris.

After dinner, the president, Mrs Morgan, proposed a toast to the King The past president, Mrs. E Skelland, proposed a toast to the Grand Lodge. The vice-president, Mrs. E Lomas, proposed a toast to the officers and members of Princess Patricia Lodge No. 238, with their president, Mrs. Wright, replying The anniversary cake was presented by Mrs. N Muckle

Appreciation and thanks to the convener, Mrs. A Harris, and her committee, Mrs. A. Gurney, Mrs E. Hault and Mrs. R. Williams, were expressed by the president. A short meeting followed, after which cards were enjoyed by members and their friends.

The next business meeting will be held on Wednesday, May 7, at 8 o'clock.

Women's Institutes

SOUTH SAANICH

South Saanich Institute met on Thursday, Mrs. H Young presiding, and arranged to visit McLean's Bakery on Thursday of this week and have tea afterwards at the Royal Oak Inn. The meeting named a committee to place flowers on the graves of late members for Mother's Day. During the afternoon, Mesdames F. Michell, H. Bickford, R Michell and Bryce were hostesses for the children's Easter party. Mrs Handy won the lucky prize.

LANGFORD

The monthly meeting of the Langford Institute will be held on Tuesday at 2 30 p.m. in the W.I Hall, Dunford Road In answer to a roll call, salad recipes will be given. Mrs. E Jeffery, convener of immigration, will have charge after the business meeting.

Clubs-Societies

Typographical W.A.

The April meeting of W.A. No. 85 to local Typographical Union was well attended. Mrs. C. Chislett acted as secretary. Letters of thanks were received for the sum of $60 raised towards the ambulance fund, and $25 raised on the silver tea set for the same cause. A successful card party was held at the home of Mrs A. E Johnson to raise money for wool A silver tea, for the purpose of raising money towards sending a delegate to the annual convention in Vancouver will be held at the home of Mrs. P J. Woodley, Wellington Avenue, on Wednesday, April 30, from 3 to 5 p m

Mothers' Union

St Martin's-in-the-Field's Branch of the Mothers' Union on Friday honored its oldest member, Mrs. M. L Butterfield, Obed Avenue, with a surprise party on the occasion of her birthday. The branch presented Mrs. Butterfield with a lovely hydrangea; and during the afternoon Mrs. F. Butterfield and her daughter, Peggy, entertained with music and singing Those present, in addition to those already mentioned, were Mesdames MacGregor, Gilbert, Huddlestone, Leggatt, Foreman, MacIvor, Flitcroft, Gregory-Allen and Groves.

St. Matthias' Guild

St. Matthias' Guild held a successful Easter tea and sale of home cooking and needlework in the church hall last Thursday, when Mesdames J. Blewett and O. Riden received visitors Stallholders were: Needlework, Mrs M Kirkpatrick Crockett, the president, and Mrs B S. Griffin, home cooking, Mrs. C R. Stevens and Mrs. Adie, flower stall, Mrs. W. H and Miss Harlock, teas, Mesdames H. Paterson, G Lowe, H. Rice Jones, W. H. Gray and Misses M. Malcolm and W. Moorhouse. The Guild will hold its next business meeting Thursday.

Jubilee Alumnae

The executive of the Jubilee Hospital Alumnae met recently at the home of the president, Mrs. J. H Russell, to make final plans for the forthcoming twenty-first anniversary dinner, to be held at the Empress Hotel on April 26 at 6 p m. Many reservations have already been made and a memorable evening is anticipated. For reservations, members are asked to communicate on or before April 24 with Mrs. D. McLoud, social convener, G 1870; Mrs Boyd Roberts, Pacific Avenue, E 9008 or Mrs. D. J. Hunter, Oak Bay, E 5703.

Qualicum Legion W.A.

The Women's Auxiliary of the Qualicum Beach Branch, Canadian Legion, held its monthly meeting in the Community Club room. There was a good attendance, with Mrs. W. Thrall, vice-president, in the chair. Final arrangements were discussed for the forthcoming visit of the University of British Columbia Players when they will stage "Candida" in the Community Hall on Saturday, May 2, under the auspices of the Women's Auxiliary. The proceeds are to be donated to the local Red Cross fund.

Cathedral W.A.

Christ Church Cathedral afternoon branch of the W.A will hold its annual donation party on Wednesday, St. George's Day, in the Memorial Hall gymnasium. Mrs Ernest Bird has arranged a programme of recitations, music and dancing, to begin at 2 45 p.m. Tea, to be served from 3.30 on, will be supervised by Mrs. Claude Gardiner Mrs. C. T. Wriglesworth will be in charge of a stall of excellent home cooking

Gleaners' Society

The monthly meeting of the Gleaners' Society was held on Wednesday evening at the home of M Alexander, Queens Avenue, with the president, Helen Porter, presiding It was a work meeting and plans were discussed for future projects. Refreshments were served by the hostess. The next meeting will be held on May 21 at the home of Mrs. R. W Mayhew, Beach Drive.

Court Maple Leaf

The members of Court Maple Leaf, A.O.F., met recently in the Foresters' Hall at their usual business meeting with Mrs. Lang in the chief's chair. Two new members were initiated and special prizes for the Easter tea were won by Mrs J. Fenerty, Mrs. E. Fletcher, Mrs. K. White, Mrs. W. Jordan and Mrs Foulds.

W.B.A. Meeting

The Women's Benefit Association will hold its regular meeting tomorrow at 7.30 p.m. in the Royal Bank Hall, Cook and Fort Streets. The Pioneer Club will take charge of the social gathering to follow the meeting, when cards and Chinese checkers will be played Mem- [illegible] table covers and cards.

Tulip Tea Planned

Mrs. A. J. Robert, 2621 Richmond Road, is lending her home and garden of lovely tulips, for a silver tea in aid of the funds of Our Lady of Lourdes Church on Sunday, April 27. The No. 10 street car passes the house at the corner of Richmond at Haultain Street. All interested are invited.

Langford Legion W.A.

In aid of the fund to buy materials for garments for the "Bundles for Britain," a card party, under the auspices of the W.A. to Prince Edward Branch, Canadian Legion, will be held next Wednesday at 8 p.m. in the Legion Hall, Langford. Bridge and five hundred will be played, prizes given and refreshments served.

Britannia Lodge

Britannia Lodge No. 216, L.O.B.A., met recently in the Orange Hall, Mrs. Fea presiding, assisted by Deputy Mistress Mrs Leask. A silver tea will be held at 303 Mary Street on Tuesday by kind permission of Mrs. E. Elesmore, to which all members and friends will be welcome.

Purple Star Lodge

The business meeting of Victoria Purple Star Lodge, No. 104, was held on Wednesday, Mrs. Dallin in the chair, assisted by Mrs. Keatley. The next social meeting will be held on Wednesday, May 7, at 7.30 p.m.

Second Mile Club

The Second Mile Club will hold its monthly meeting on Tuesday, at the home of Mrs Porter, 2652 Cook Street, at 8 p.m. Members of the Tuckabatchee Club will be guests.

St. Mark's W.A.

The regular business meeting of St. Mark's W.A. will be held on Tuesday afternoon at 2 30 o'clock in the parish hall, when final arrangements for the annual birthday party on April 25 will be made.

P.P.C.L.I. Auxiliary

The W.A. to the P.P.C.L.I. will hold its regular business meeting tomorrow at 7 30 p.m., in the King's Daughters' rooms, Government Street.

Missionary Circle

The monthly meeting of the Missionary Circle of the Little Flower Auxiliary will take place on Thursday at 7 30 p.m. in the Parish Hall.

St. Saviour's W.A.

A donation party will be held under the auspices of St Saviour's Parish in the church hall on Thursday afternoon form 3 to 5 o'clock

Women Conservatives

A business meeting of the Women's Conservative Association will be held on Thursday evening at 8 o'clock at 738 Fort Street.

St. John's Guild

The Ladies' Guild of St. John's Church will meet tomorrow at 2.30 p.m in the guild room.

St. John's W.A.

St. John's senior W.A. will hold its regular meeting on Tuesday at 2 30 p m

Airmen Pleased With Concert of Y.M.C.A. Party

Members of the Y M C A Red Triangle concert party delighted a large number of airmen at the Patricia Bay airport Friday night.

Every number, from vocal solos to instrumental novelties by the Tune Termites under Ernest Fullerton, pleased the men in uniform and brought round after round of applause.

Miss Honor Benson and Miss Wynne Shawe were seen in clever dance routines, and Miss Vanda Eudson's impersonations brought many laughs

James Oakman, John Bray, Miss Elaine Basanta, Miss Catherine Craig and Miss Catherine Denison were heard in vocal solos, and Misses Craig, Denison and Barbara Dawson sang as a trio.

Norval Peterson, master of ceremonies, led the community singing Miss Helen Ockenden, musical director was the accompanist

Blossom Tea Nets $60 in Aid of Ward

The blossom tea held yesterday by the Daughters of Pity at the Royal Jubilee Hospital Nurses' Home was a great success, the sum of $60 being raised towards the purchase of equipment for the new children's ward of the hospital. The Daughters of Pity have always taken a keen interest in the welfare of the little patients and recently purchased surgical beds for the ward at a cost of $400.

Miss Marjorie Siddall, the president, welcomed the guests, who numbered about 100. The reception room was beautifully arranged in keeping with the occasion, a profusion of lovely Spring flowers having been grouped about the room with charming effect. Ferns, lilac, tulips, bluebells and narcissus made a fragrant setting and on the main tea table, which was covered with a handsome lace cloth, was a silver bowl of pink tulips, bridal wreath and bluebells, pink tapers in silver candelabra adding a further touch of color.

Pouring tea during the afternoon were Mrs Hugh Allen, Mrs Edwin Tomlin, Mrs R. Miller, Mrs. R. J. Jameson and Mrs. Guy Sheppard, while members of the Daughters of Pity assisted in serving Miss Marjorie Tait was the tea convener and the decorations were the handiwork of Miss K Lovell and Miss C Couves Mrs Harold McCaw had charge of the home-made candy and flower stall and Master Walter Thompson took charge of the candy contest, which was won by Miss Harrison.

Miss Irene Bannerman arranged a delightful musical programme which included numbers by a mandolin trio—Mrs. G Newstead Mrs N L. Camsusa and Miss May Warnock—and vocal solos by Mrs B Noel and Mrs. O. W. Davy, the accompanists being Mrs E A Cartwright and Miss Estelle Clark.

A.R.P. Activities

Forthcoming Blackout—At the preliminary meeting of the Blackout Committee, held in the City Hall on April 15, it was announced that the date for the forthcoming blackout would be determined shortly, but it was expected to be towards the latter part of May. A tentative plan was discussed, and when the final details are completed, instructions will be issued to the public through the press and radio

Advanced Class in First Aid and Stretcher Drill—R. M Barnes, A.R.P. instructor, announces that this class which has been meeting on Tuesday and Thursday evenings in the hall over the Public Market, in future will meet on Thursday evenings only.

At a recent meeting of the A.R.P. wardens from District 6C (Brentwood), under the command of Captain E. Levien, several new wardens were enrolled Captain M Godfrey passive defence officer, accompanied by Lieuts Mighton and Nyblett, addressed the meeting on A.R.P. work and gave a practical demonstration of anti-gas.

First Aid Course Commences—The first aid course for the wardens from District 8A (Mount Tolmie) commenced on Wednesday last at the Cedar Hill School A very interesting lecture was given by Dr Bird, which was followed by practical instruction in first aid given by G Sellars. The next meeting will be on Wednesday, April 23, at 8 p.m., and any residents from this district who are prepared to become wardens and join this class are requested to attend.

The wardens from District 3C (James Bay) will meet on Tuesday, April 22, at the South Park School at 8 p.m. Both lady and gentlemen wardens are requested to attend, as special business will be brought before the meeting. F W. Freeman, 618 Dallas Road, has been appointed assistant to the district warden, R. Armstrong

All group leaders of A.R.P. Wardens Area 5C, Saanich, are requested to have all wardens who have enrolled for first-aid instruction attend the opening lecture of the course which will be held at Tillicum School tomorrow night at 8 o'clock

Wardens who attended the previous course of instruction but who were unable to attend the examination are also asked to take this course, so that they may be able to obtain their certificates.

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Special Color Scheme

A patriotic color scheme of red, white and blue was used in the decorations at the miscellaneous shower given on Friday evening in honor of Miss Anna Morris, whose marriage to Mr. William Tabor, R.C.A., takes place this week, and held at the home of Mr and Mrs J French, Blenkinsop Road. The many pretty and useful gifts were presented to the bride-to-be in a clothes basket trimmed in the prevailing colors, and were accompanied by a corsage bouquet of red carnations and white sweet peas tied with a blue ribbon. An evening of music and games was enjoyed and refreshments were served from a table arranged to carry out the patriotic motif. The guests were Mr and Mrs D. Morris, Mr and Mrs. J French Sr., Mr and Mrs J Zarelli, Mr. and Mrs J French Jr., Misses Edith, May and Irene French, Ruth Wallace, Muriel Carter, Edith, Gladys and Evelyn Hitchman, Chrissie Watts, Florence McKinnon, Phyllis and Margaret Stewart, Iris and Grace Swetnam, Vera and Muriel Gill, Irene and Marjorie Olton, Margaret Cuthbertson, Laura Seed, Kay Morris and Messrs. Douglas and Richard Gill, Stanley Hitchman, John Stewart, Walter Carter, Bob Osborne and Bill Tabor, R.C.A.

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For Bride-to-Be

An enjoyable evening was spent on Thursday by friends and staff members of the Aged Women's Home at the home of Miss O Gueipa, Fernwood Road, when a surprise shower was held in honor of Miss S. Nutton, who will be married on May 1. Spring flowers and pink and white streamers decorated the reception rooms and the gifts were placed in a pink and mauve container under the skirts of an old-fashioned doll. In addition to the gifts, the bride-to-be received a corsage bouquet of [illegible] and Mr W E Brown gave several amusing recitations. A buffet supper was served by the hostess, assisted by Miss L. Weeks and Mrs. D. Thomas, the table arranged with a silver bowl of lilies and tulips. The invited guests were Mesdames I. Gueipa, M Robertson, C. Drysdale, I Brown, E Prescott, M. Carter, R. Panting, E Tibballs, E Lerik, M Keen, H Lennard, M Brown, M Groat, A Cox, D. Thomas, K. Herring, M Morry, A Laplassotte, A. Spaven, Misses N Synder, A Stewart, H Boulton, A Robb, I Stewart, L Weeks, B Lerik. Messrs. O. MacQuarigh, Morrison, O Gueipa, H E Brown and Sergeant S Drysdale.

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Fete Bride-to-Be

Misses Lillabelle Moore and Sybil Holvoak, assisted by Miss Beatrice Edwards, recently entertained Miss Alice Bleathman, whose marriage will take place quietly this month, at the home of Mrs W B Moore, Wascana Street. The guest of honor and her mother received corsage bouquets of lily of the valley. Mrs E Harding won the contest prize. A buffet supper was served from a prettily decorated table centred with a crystal bowl of pink and white flowers. Guests included Mesdames E Bleathman, E. Harding, T Dodd, A Passmore, J Politano, W B Moore, S Spaven, T. Anderson and Misses Doris Bleathman, Kathleen Easton, Lorraine Willerton, Muriel Ryley, Gladys Glover, Etna Wheeler, Margaret Hiquebran, N Williams, Ivy Grossmith, Marjorie Clare, L Hurst, Margaret McDonald, Grace Kemp, Doreen Ashford, Betty Corless, Pearl Cawsey, O'Dora Sylvester, Eileen Cawsey, Erina Thornber, Peggy Lynn, Mary Wilson, Joan Paxton, Nell Chapman, Marjorie Moore, Marjorie Passmore and Shirley Eacott.

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King's Daughters' Tea

The Kings' Daughters held their last social gathering in their old headquarters, Hibben-Bone Building, yesterday afternoon when all the circles joined in holding a silver tea. In keeping with Primrose Day, the tables were beautifully arranged with bowls of yellow primroses, and presiding at the tea table were Mrs. H E Young and Mrs. R M Hughes. The L H Hardie Circle had charge of the flower stall and the Speedwell Circle sold home-made candy. Mrs Peter Sharp was in receipt of custom and various members of the circles assisted in serving. Mrs. L H Hardie and Mrs. A M Perry welcomed the guests. It was thirty years ago yesterday that the Kings' Daughters held their first bulb and Spring flower show at the Empress Hotel. The new headquarters in the Jones Building, Fort Street, will be opened on Monday, April 28, and it was a great pleasure for the older members to welcome many old friends at yesterday's tea.

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Shower for Bride

A miscellaneous shower was held recently at the home of Mrs. F. Webb, 862 Admirals Road in honor of Mrs George West, the former Phyllis Bennett. The guest of honor and Mrs. F West were presented with corsage bouquets by Betty Webb. The gifts were concealed under a prettily decorated parasol. Games were played during the evening, the winners being Mrs. E Watt, Mrs L. Hall, Mrs F. Elston, Mrs. F. West and Miss Mollie Mitchell. A buffet supper was served later by the hostess. The invited guests were Mrs. F. West, Mrs. A Young, Mrs. J. Wittcomb, Mrs. V. Finlay, Mrs E Watt, Mrs. M McDuff, Mrs J. Denyer, Mrs. N. Patterson, Mrs F Elston, Mrs. L. Hall, Mrs Hocking, Mrs. L. Rose, Mrs. F Pearson, Mrs. Mitchell and Misses Margaret Young, Jean Wittcomb, Mollie Mitchell, Nora Lawton, Kathleen Mitchell, Irene Hall and Betty Webb.

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Bridal Shower

A bridal shower was given recently by Miss Ruth Belcher and her mother, Mrs Belcher, at their home, 1254 Saall Avenue, in honor of Mrs. C. Nast, formerly Miss Gloria Petterson. The gifts were concealed in a blue and white box, surmounted by a miniature naval vessel against a red, white and blue background, and were handed to the guest of honor by her sister, Dilys Petterson. A bouquet of pink carnations and forget-me-nots was also presented. The refreshment table was arranged with a cut glass bowl of narcissus, bluebells and forget-me-nots. Winners of the games were Mrs J. H Petterson and Miss Ethel Scott. The invited guests were Mesdames H Keating, J. H Petterson, R. B Baxter, W. Geddie, M Hole, M Thompson, Misses Edith Scott, Joyce Wallace, Florence Kennedy, Mildred Williams, Betty Muncy, Sylvia Petch, Lorna Barker, M. Tonmon and Dilys Petterson.

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Gift Presented

Miss Helen Petticrew, whose wedding will take place shortly, was the guest of honor at the rehearsal of the First United Church Choir held last Thursday evening. During the course of the evening Mrs. W. B Crowther, on behalf of the choir, presented Miss Petticrew with a beautiful silver tea service and expressed the wish of all the choir members for her future happiness. Miss Petticrew replied suitably and thanked them for their kindness. The serving of refreshments by the social committee, under the direction of John Bell, brought the pleasant evening to a close.

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Old Charming Inn

Among those registered recently at The Old Charming Inn, Oak Bay, are Mrs G. W Bancroft and Miss Eileen Bancroft, Regina. Mr and Mrs. T. A Graham and Miss Marjorie Graham, Edmonton, Mr and Mrs. W. F. Tucker Battle, Vancouver; Mrs. David Simpson and Miss Margaret Simpson, Vancouver; Miss E B Watts and Miss Dorothy Parsons, Shawnigan Lake; L Washington, Toronto, Mrs J. E. Holton, Seattle, Mrs. W B Ronald and Miss [illegible]

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At Supper Dance

There were 400 guests at the supper dance at the Empress Hotel last evening, many of the visitors from the United States being included in the number. The larger parties included those of Mr. H Dawson, with eight, Mr. S Sanderson, twelve, Lieutenant Knox, twenty-four, R. Oykes, ten, A. A Turner, fourteen; Sub-Lieutenant Conyers, six; Mr. J O. Oykes, Mr C. Mannigan, Mrs. Francis and Mr F. A. Crowe, each with parties of six.

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Recent Arrivals

Among the American visitors holidaying at the Empress Hotel are Mr and Mrs. O. W. Siler and Mr E. E. Gluck, Denver, Col., Mr. S P Thomas, Tacoma; Miss G. Steigler, Miss V. Nordstrom, Miss A Penfield and Miss J O'Rourke, Seattle, Miss V Marquette, Vallejo, Cal., Mr Carl Crozen, Seattle; Mr and Mrs. J. W Street, Glendale, Cal., Mr. and Mrs O. C. Webster, Berkeley, Cal., and Mr. and Mrs John McKinley, Spokane.

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Children's Party

Tommy Thorpe and John G Henry entertained a number of their small friends at an Easter party on Friday, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Henry, Island Highway, Langford. Miss Kathleen Willard assisted Mrs Henry. Those present were Elsie Bennett, Elsie Brown, Jerry Braithwaite, David Ann and Phyllis Gale, Maureen and Sharon Pedneault.

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From Yokohama

Mrs. Wilfred McVittie, wife of the acting British Consul-General at Yokohama, is spending a week in Victoria as the guest of her uncle and aunt, Rev Dr W G. Wilson and Mrs. Wilson, Pemberton Road. Mrs. McVittie is accompanied by her little daughter, Ann, and is en route to Toronto to visit her father, Rev. Dr. Gilbert Wilson.

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At Empress Hotel

Mrs. Allen H Bill, wife of the Canadian correspondent in London whose articles are appearing in the press of this country, has arrived from Winnipeg with her son and they are at the Empress Hotel. They were accompanied from Vancouver by Mrs. North and her son, Terry.

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Returning to Quebec

Mr. C. Lanigan, 1418 Thurlow Road, and Mr Jim Finley, 1160 Richardson Street, who have been here on a fortnight's holiday from the Fairchild factory at Longueuil, Quebec, are returning to the East today.

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Leaving Today

Miss Eileen Swayne will leave today for Halifax where her marriage to Major R. E Wilkins will take place next Saturday. She will be accompanied to the East by her mother, Mrs. Charles Swayne.

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At Kiltaa Lodge

Among those enjoying the beauties of Sproat Lake from Kiltaa Lodge are Hon. Ernest Lapointe, Minister of Justice, Ottawa, Mr Fernand F Talford, Quebec, and Senator A Slats, Edmonton.

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From Grande Prairie

Mr. George Patterson, Grande Prairie, Alta. is visiting on the Coast as the guest of Mr and Mrs. A. O. Elwood, "Ivygreen," Metchosin.

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In Private Hospital

Mr. C. E. Currie has left the Royal Jubilee Hospital after two weeks' stay and is now residing at Richmond Private Hospital, 1019 Richmond Road.

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At Metchosin

Miss Valerie Elwood, Grande Prairie, Alberta, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. O. Elwood, "Ivygreen," Metchosin.

HIS MOTTO

Teacher: "Remember the saying 'It is better to give than to receive.'"

Pupil: "My father says that is his motto!"

Teacher: "What is your father?"

Pupil: "A pugilist."

Witty Kitty

Success is rarely handed to one on a silver platter

Are to Be Married in May

—Photographs by Leonard Holmes.

MR. A. B. ANDERSON **MISS S. R. PEDLINGHAM**

Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Hartley, 2985 Foul Bay Road, announce the engagement of their niece, Sybil Ruth Pedlingham, to Mr. Arnold Brookman Anderson, only son of Mr. and Mrs. King Anderson, of Vancouver. Mr Anderson is a graduate of the University of British Columbia, and is affiliated with the Psi Upsilon Fraternity. The wedding will take place quietly in May.

Flower Show Held in Aid Of Red Cross

The annual flower show of the Metchosin Unit of the Red Cross [illegible] at the Metchosin Hall. The judges were Alderman D. D. McTavish and Mr. W H Warren, parks superintendent, took charge of exhibits.

The show was formally opened at 3 p.m. by Mrs. Debney, Edmonton, introduced by Mrs. H S Jordan, president of the unit. Mrs Debney, until recently, has disposed of large quantities of Spring blooms from Metchosin, in Edmonton, for the benefit of the Red Cross. These flowers have been flown to Edmonton from Metchosin gardens, and Mrs Debney expressed her thanks and those of the people of Edmonton both for the flowers and for the funds which they have produced.

Two remarkable floral displays were those of Mr. Seckingham, Metchosin, made up of Alpines, rare trilliaries, potted rhododendrons, and many unusual and beautiful specimens, and that from the Experimental Farm, Saanichton, entirely composed of magnificent, richly-hued tulips. Mr Woods, the superintendent, took personal charge of this display.

TEA TABLES

Tea-table arrangements provided a special competition, judged by Miss E. Humby, and prizes were awarded to Miss Norma Multer and the Misses Cecilia and Rosamund Milne, the first prize donated by Mrs H. S Jordan, the second by Mrs. W L. Whitney-Griffiths. Tea was served at the tables arranged for competition, the competitors acting as waitresses, and refreshments were in charge of Mrs. Helgesen, Br. and Mrs. Witty.

Among other attractions was a contest for a silk-covered, hand-carded fleece quilt, the entire work done by ladies of the unit, and fleece and covering given by Mrs W. L. Whitney-Griffiths, together with a silk-covered matching pillow. The quilt and pillow were won by Mr G. W. Clarke, Metchosin. The children's contest for a pair of rabbits donated by Mrs Bilder was won by Muriel Wells, William Head. Mrs. Humphrey Baynes and Mrs C. E. Whitney-Griffiths presided over a fairy grotto, where buried treasure lay deep in a hollow tree and where many-colored tulips were for sale. They also marketed gay garden "seats," on sticks, donated by Mrs Debney.

PRIZES PRESENTED

Mrs. R. B. Jenkins sold home-cooked food in great variety at a stall hung with Red Cross banners, assisted by Mrs Fergus Reid, Mrs. Debney and Miss Diana Jenkins, Mr. C. E. Whitney-Griffiths and Mr. W. L. Mackenzie assisted with the contests, and Mrs. Brake, Vancouver, drew the lucky winners. Mrs. R F Mathews won the Red Cross Challenge Cup with the greatest aggregate number of points in the flower show, Mr Catling being runner-up. The children's prizes were won by Anthea Kearley, rock garden; Raymond Clapham, buttonhole, and Bernard Whitney-Griffiths, corsage bouquet. The children's work showed surprising attention to detail and artistic feeling. In general entries, the decorated tables and collections of mixed flowers deserved particular mention.

Mr. S W Amoore acted as doorkeeper. Major Power Potts and Mrs R F Mathews recorded all entries. Mrs. McCreight took charge of the children's exhibits and the sale of plants. Financial results though incomplete, are reported by the secretary to indicate net proceeds of well over $100.

P.-T.A. Activities

MOUNT DOUGLAS

Mount Douglas branch of the Parent Teachers' Association will hold its monthly meeting at 8 p.m. on Tuesday in the school auditorium, when a report on the P.-T.A. convention will be given.

MARGARET JENKINS

The Margaret Jenkins Association will hold its monthly meeting in the school auditorium on Tuesday night at 8 o'clock. A nominating committee will be appointed. The delegates will give their report on the British Columbia Federation Parent-Teacher Association convention. Mrs. Mary O'Brien will give violin selections. Miss Joy Groves will give a comedy monologue and Mrs Harold Groves will be the accompanist. Tea will be served by Mrs A Unwin and her committee.

SIR JAMES DOUGLAS

The next meeting of the pre-school and school age group will be held on Wednesday at 8 p.m. at the home of Mrs C. Crow, 1016 Linden Avenue. The subject for study will be "Uses of Money" and will be discussed by Mrs S H. Parker.

U.E.L. BRIDGE PARTY

The United Empire Loyalists in Victoria will hold a bridge drive on Saturday evening in the Women's Institute hall, 635 Fort Street, at 8 o'clock. This is the second in the series of weekly parties in aid of the war fund, for which the United Empire Loyalists in Canada are endeavoring to raise $5,000. There will be bridge prizes and a door prize. Refreshments will be served.

Open House Will Be Organized at Popular Canteen

The Salvation Army Three Services Canteen cordially invite their friends and those interested to an "open house" on Thursday afternoon from 3 until 5.30 o'clock.

The living accommodation is proving extremely popular and the canteen now has eighty-four beds for the use of service men. Last week 554 men made use of the sleeping accommodation, and during the week-ends the beds are booked up early in the afternoon.

To relieve congestion in the canteen, a refreshment counter has been opened in the recreation room, and to provide better service a new electric refrigerator has been installed.

The library and writing rooms, with greater facilities, have been moved upstairs. The old library has been turned into a quiet room and the writing room is now used for table games. Two rooms have been thrown into one, thus making a larger and more comfortable lounge. The main floor is now open to the men and their mothers, wives and girl friends. The Salvation Army has borne the expense of the improvements, the Three Services Women's Auxiliary co-operating with suggestions with reference to furnishings and renovations. The Salvation Army deeply appreciates the continued voluntary help given so willingly by the Three Services Women's Auxiliary and other organizations in making beds, attending to the cleaning, serving in the kitchen and canteen, library, information desk, refreshment counter and the supervision of games, music and entertainments. Next Thursday night there will be a concert given by the intermediates of the Musical Arts Society, under the direction of Mrs. McCaw.

The daily breakfasts are proving extremely popular, the canteen opens at 6.30 and gives continuous service until 11.30 a.m.

I.O.D.E. Activities

Dr. O. M. Jones Chapter

Dr. O. M. Jones Chapter will hold a knitting meeting at the home of Mrs. T. H Johnson, 661 Beach Drive, at 2 p.m. on Thursday.

Royal Bride Chapter

The Royal Bride Chapter held its regular monthly meeting yesterday at headquarters, Betty Cottet, the regent, presiding. The St Patrick's Day tea held recently at the home of Mrs. Duncan MacBride realized $45, members were told. Mary Downey was welcomed as a new member. The next regular knitting meeting will be held May 17 at the home of Miss Marjorie Delf, 1424 Fairfield Road.

BECAUSE

An Oslo girl sitting in the lounge of an hotel was approached by a German officer asking her to dance. She refused, and shortly afterwards he returned and spoke in rather a threatening tone.

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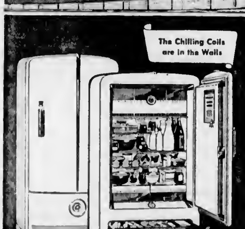

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Veterans Travel Long Distance to Join Army

Enlistments during the past few days for the Canadian Active Army show that a number of Victoria men have been accepted for active service, it was disclosed at No 11 District Depot Recruiting Office yesterday.

Two greying veterans of the first Great War traveled all the way from Ontario to enlist once more in the army they left in 1919. They are Pte Arthur Bennett of the Veterans' Guard of Canada, who came from Toronto, where for many years he was an employee of the Canadian National Railways, and Pte Isaac G. Alexander, former fur merchant of Hamilton who has also become a member of the Veterans' Guard. Pte. Bennett actually made the trip across Canada twice, the first time to offer his services, and the second trip to return to Toronto and back again after he settled business affairs, when he discovered he was eligible to enlist.

COME FROM NEW YORK

Other Eastern enlistments are two New York City youths, who came from the big American metropolis to join the Canadian army. Both are 'teen-age youths, one of them being Pte Andrew Kosmic, a former United States Marine who has already seen considerable active service with the United States Navy in the Far East, both in the Philippines and China stations. He witnessed, while on service, the sinking of the U.S.S. Panay by the Japanese. The other New York youth to offer his services to Canada is Herman Liebowitz, American-born Polish Jew, who has served with the C.C.C.

Two well-known Victorians Shirley Morgan Hobbs and Cornelius Bernard (Barney) O'Neill, are on the roster. Pte Hobbs, for a long time a resident of Victoria, was formerly associated with the Durable Mat Co. He saw service in the first Great War, enlisting as a private and leaving the C.E.F. in 1919 with the rank of captain. He has re-enlisted with the Veterans' Guard of Canada. Pte O'Neill is another well-known resident of Victoria of many years standing, during which time he was prominent in the grocery trade. For over a decade he was manager of the Hudson's Bay Company's grocery department in Victoria.

LOCAL RECRUITS

Other capital city men who have answered the army's appeal include William Aspinall, Royal Oak; Arthur Hardy Duncan, 1427 Edgware Street; Harry Edward Simpson, Colquitz; Geoffrey Byatt, 2425 Lincoln Road; John Walter Riddle, 804 Seymour Avenue; Angus McLeod, 332 Waller Street; Arthur Shotton, 1116 Caledonia Avenue, and Gavin McPherson Sinclair, 2949 Shakespeare Street.

Vancouver Island enlistments include William Arthur Johnson, Sidney; Henry Nathaniel Simmonds, Crofton; Great War veteran; Thomas William McKay; Joseph Clarence Horton and Owen Adair Evans, all of Chemainus.

Four Nanaimo men are among the enlisted. They were John Eaden White, Great War veteran, Robert Watson (Bob) Grey, well-known former Nanaimo City soccer star, Carl Victor Carlson and Joseph Clarance Howcroft. The latter's father is a member of the Veterans' Guard of Canada stationed in Victoria. George Arthur Phillips, Alberni, and Eric Douglas, Campbell River, have also entered the army service.

Mainland recruits include Gordon Wiltshire Stranger, Vancouver; Edward Elmer Johnstone, Great War veteran of West Summerland, and Domenic Anthony Citra, of Fernie.

Young Victoria Flyer Receives Wings

WILLIAM B. BROWN

WHO left here last July to take his training in the air service, and who, on April 16, received his wings in the R.C.A.F., is expected in Victoria shortly on leave. He is the son of Mr and Mrs T A Brown, 1210 Beach Drive, and was well known in athletic circles in the city before entering the flying service. His training has taken him to various centres in Eastern Canada, his latest being Summerside, P.E.I.

She Loved a Spy

By SYLVIA TAYLOR

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CHAPTER XIII

Karl Miller's voice came forcefully over the wire. "Joan? You are home safely?"

"Yes. I've been home for some time." She smiled, picturing Karl on the other end of the line. How sweet that he could be so concerned.

"I just wanted to be sure that you were all right. Good night, darling."

It was the first time that he had called her "darling." Her pulse leaped at the unfamiliar endearment.

"We will not work tomorrow," Karl informed her. "We shall have dinner together alone."

Joan went back to the bedroom with shining eyes to tell Sybil.

"Then you won't meet Paul?"

"Of course not. I wouldn't anyway."

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Joan had not considered the possibility that Karl Miller might take her to dinner at the same place she was to have met Paul, but as they walked into the lobby of the hotel Paul had mentioned, Joan saw Paul coming out of the bar. He nodded pleasantly as he passed them, and Joan breathed a sigh of relief as she walked with Karl into the grill. It was not until their meal was almost finished that Joan saw Paul again. He was sitting alone at a corner table directly behind Karl. When they left, Joan looking over her shoulder saw that Paul was behind them. Was Paul Sherman deliberately following her? Was this his idea of a joke? But Joan did not tell Karl. He might have discharged Paul, and much as he annoyed her she did not want him to lose his job on her account.

Karl drove swiftly along the Embarcadero. "Have you ever been on a freighter?" he asked the girl at his side. "Like to see one?"

"I'd love it," she answered.

"Sweet thing!" He reached for her hand.

They stopped at pier 27. Joan could see the hulk of a small ship looming out of the mist. Karl took her arm as they walked through a large storeroom, out into the foggy night, and up the swaying gangplank of the freighter, which even to Joan's inexperienced eyes was old and badly in need of paint.

On deck she followed Karl up a narrow staircase to the captain's quarters.

"He's a friend of mine," Karl explained, opening the door.

But though a lamp burned brightly in the cabin, there was no sign of the captain. Joan was intrigued by the round wooden table, the small desk, the faded curtains that inadequately draped the portholes.

"Isn't anyone on board?" she asked, drawing closer to Karl.

"There are a couple of sailors below. I saw them as we came up. We'll wait here a few minutes. Do you mind?"

"No. It's fun."

Karl walked to the table, poured some whisky out of an old-fashioned crystal decanter and quickly downed it.

"This ship has been to South America, all through the West Indies, even to Japan."

"How I'd love to go to some of those places! I'm so tired of living such an ordinary life. Just eating and sleeping and working day after day."

She moved her hand with an impatient gesture. Her figure was straight and slender in its black wool dress, her face pale ivory with its eager mouth and flashing emerald eyes.

Karl Miller caught his breath as he looked at her.

"I'd like to take you to South America, darling! Maybe I can some day. Would you like to have me show you the world?"

"More than anything!" she cried recklessly. "Oh, Karl."

He pressed her hand to his lips. "You're beautiful," he murmured. "You're beautiful and exciting and I love you, liebchen! Do you know what liebchen means? It is sweetheart! It is what you are to me."

His arms were around her. "Liebchen!" This foreign word held a curious fascination for her. It was like Karl. Strong, strange and sweet.

"You believe me, Joan? You believe me?"

The drone of foghorns seemed a mournful undercurrent to her rapidly beating heart. "Yes, Karl. I believe you."

His lips caressed her eyelids and the soft alabaster of her cheeks. His tenderness drew her to him. But as Karl's arms closed about her Joan heard a faint sound outside the cabin door.

Startled, she cried, "What was that? Karl, did you hear it?"

"Probably one of the sailors." But his hand reached to the inside pocket of his coat and he walked swiftly to the door and flung it open.

There was no one. The stairway leading down to the deck was empty. For a long moment Karl looked out into the dark night.

"You must have imagined it. No one is there."

"I heard something. I know I did! Oh, Karl, let's get out of here. You can see your friend some other time, can't you?"

His voice was controlled. "Just as you wish."

But as she preceded him down the steps Joan saw a figure disappear into the shadows of the deck and even in the fog she could see that it was Paul Sherman!

(To Be Continued)

An old lady was arguing with the driver about the cost of the taxi ride.

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Inside, many of the departments have been remodelled to give more space, better display . . . to make selection easier. Many of the windows have taken on a look of modernity with Venetian Blinds, giving a new lightness and brightness for shopping. The walls have been refreshed with paint in pastel tints.

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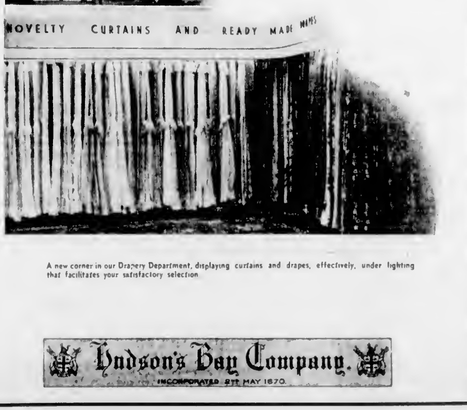

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PERSONAL ITEMS and SOCIAL HAPPENINGS

Y.W.C.A. Has Joint Meeting

A meeting of more than usual importance was held by the Y W C A board of directors on Friday evening, which included members of the various committees, secretarial staff and representatives of the Senior Girls' Council. Dr. Olga Jardine, as president, presided. The meeting was to afford an opportunity for members of each committee to become more familiar with the work of other departments and to consider the correlation of the whole.

The purpose of the work in each department was clearly presented, and discussion followed on subjects of immediate interest to the membership. From the girls' programme department, "The Value of Girls' Conferences as an Educational Process and as a Direction for Christian Living", from the Senior Club Council, "Retaining Interest in a Well-Balanced Programme of Educational, Cultural and Religious Emphasis"; from the Travelers' Aid and Social Service department, "Y W C A. Responsibility for the Pre-Delinquent Girl and Preventive Educational and Group Work", from the residence department, "The Effects of the High Cost of Living." There was no attempt in the time allowed to come to any definite solution or decision, but the subjects were left for further study by the committees concerned. Recognition was made of the valuable volunteer service given by many committee members and group leaders. At the close of the meeting the social committee were hostesses for coffee.

VISIT OF MISS ROUSE

During the business session definite plans were made for the visit of Miss Ruth Rouse, president of the Y W C A. World's Council, with headquarters now moved from Geneva to Washington. Miss Rouse is an English woman of outstanding ability. During her stay here May 12, 13 and 14 Mrs. F. A. Lindsay will be hostess for a drawing-room meeting and tea. There will also be a dinner and evening address at the Y W C A for members and representatives of other organizations. Miss Rouse will be the guest speaker at the Women's Canadian Club. While in British Columbia she wishes to see the Y W C A war service work here.

The local association will again have a visit on May 22 and 23 from Miss Julia Capen, executive secretary in the leadership division of the Y W C A National Board, New York. Miss Capen will lead conference discussion on the development and value of volunteer leadership.

While here Miss Capen will speak informally at a membership tea in the association, and will be the special guest and speaker at the annual Spring banquet of the senior club department.

MARRIED IN CALGARY

CALGARY, April 19 (CP) — A marriage of wide interest throughout Canada took place here today at Central United Church when Lois Juliette, daughter of Mrs. L. C. Malcolm, Montreal, granddaughter of Hon. C. H. Cahan, K.C., LL.D., former Secretary of State, became the bride of Leading Aircraftman Harry J. Daly, son of Mrs. A. G. Cushing, Montreal, and the late Capt. Henry Daly.

"It's great to spend a day in the country away from everything, isn't it?"

"Well you surely show up in a better light when you're away from everybody else."

Assist War Services Campaign

Above are shown pupils of the Cobble Hill Elementary School, who raised $40 for the Canadian War Services Fund through a bazaar held at the school the evening of April 10 last. Miss Ella Martin, the teacher, under whose supervision the bazaar was arranged, is at the extreme left of the sitting row

WEDDINGS

BLAKE—HOOPER

The wedding took place at 8 o'clock last evening at the residence of the officiating minister, Rev. F. W. McKinnon, between Winifred Violet, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Hooper, 2390 Cranmore Road, Oak Bay, and Mr. Edgar Rupert Blake, youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Blake, "Beechwood Farm," Metchosin.

The bride, who was given away by her father, wore a Queen's blue frock with dusky pink accessories and a corsage bouquet of rosebuds and heather, and was attended by her twin-sister, Miss Edna Hooper, in dusky pink with blue accessories and a corsage bouquet of pink carnations. Mr. Reginald Blake supported his brother.

Relatives and a few friends were entertained later at the home of the bride's parents, in a pretty floral setting, where the guests were welcomed by Mr. Hooper, in a printed rose-pink dress with black accessories, and by Mrs. Blake in navy blue. Both wore corsage bouquets of carnations.

On their return from a honeymoon Up-Island, Mr. and Mrs. Blake will make their home in Victoria.

SMITH—SHARP

Rev. James Hood officiated at the wedding of Doris Lilian, youngest daughter of the late Mr. Charles J. Sharp, and Mrs. O. Ludvicson, 3278 Oak Street, and Mr. Charles Arthur Smith, youngest son of the late Mr. Charles Smith and Mrs. Smith, 1283 Denman Street, which took place at 8 o'clock last evening at the home of the bride's brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. C. Sharp, 1329 Esquimalt Road. During the ceremony the bridal couple stood under a floral arch and bell, showered with streamers, between baskets of lilac.

The bride was given away by her brother, Mr. C. Sharp, and wore a floor-length gown of white satin with long pointed sleeves, and a sweetheart neckline. Her veil was attached to a halo of orange blossoms and formed a train, and she carried a sheaf of Calla lilies. Mrs. Sharp was matron of honor wearing a frock of pale pink satin and net, and Miss Mina Smith, sister of the groom, was bridesmaid, in pale blue. They wore chapel veils and clusters of flowers to match their dresses in their hair, and carried bouquets of pink snapdragons and blue iris. Mr. Frank Pellett was groomsman. Little Patricia Larsen, niece of the bride, was flower girl in a pink silk frock with blue bows and carried a Victorian bouquet.

A buffet supper was served later at a table adorned with silver vases of pink tulips which flanked the beautifully decorated cake, a gift from Molly's Cake Shop, Fort Street, where the bride had been employed. Mrs. Ludvicson welcomed the guests in a dusky rose dress with navy blue accessories, assisted by Mrs. Smith in Royal blue with accessories in the darker tone. Both wore corsage posies of carnations. For a honeymoon in Vancouver, the bride left in a navy blue ensemble with a paler blue princess overcoat.

Mr. and Mrs. Smith will take up their residence on their return with Mr. and Mrs. Ludvicson until their new home in Orillia Street is completed.

GOLDSMITH—STREET

Ryerson United Church, Vancouver, was the scene of a pretty wedding on Easter Monday, when Rev. E. D. Braden, D.D., united in marriage Norma Elizabeth, daughter of Mrs. Jenny Street and the late Mr. George Street, Stony Beach, Sask., and Mr. Frederick Thomas Goldsmith, second son of Major and Mrs. T. C. Goldsmith, 1683 West Sixtieth Avenue, Vancouver.

The bride, given in marriage by Mr. Jim Thompson, wore a beige afternoon dress, her off-the-face hat being trimmed in black. Her accessories were black and she carried a Colonial bouquet of roses, pink sweet peas and white heather. Her only attendant was Miss Etta Kipp, wearing a navy blue afternoon frock made with a bolero and trimmed with a white collar and cuffs. Her black hat was trimmed with white and her bouquet was composed of lilies, tulips and iris.

Assisting at the reception was the groom's sister, Mrs. George Ingram, Jr., and presiding at the tea table were Mrs. F. Bowen and Mrs. George Ingam, Sr., who were assisted by Mrs. J. H. MacKenzie, Mrs. J. O'Connor, Miss Edith Ingram and Miss Helen Hammond. For the wedding trip to Prince Rupert, the bride wore a black topcoat over her wedding ensemble and a bouquet of gardenias. The couple will live in Victoria.

Out-of-town guests at the wedding were Mrs. Jack Hammond, Regina, Miss Helen Hammond, Regina, Miss Alice Dawson, Mrs. J. O'Connor, Mr. Leonard Crookston, Mr. Jack Fraser, Mr. L. McNab, Mr. Bill Alexander, all of Victoria, and Mr. R. Street, Chilliwack.

ALEXANDER—ROSS

Rev. F. W. McKinnon officiated at the marriage on April 12 of Jeanne Alexandria, eldest daughter of Mrs. Mary Ross, Port Angeles, Wash., and the late Mr. Ross, to Mr. Kenneth Raymond Alexander, youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. John Alexander, 910 Easter Road, Victoria. The ceremony was held at Mr. McKinnon's home, 3440 Saanich Road.

Miss Marie Alexander attended the bride and Mr. L. G. Alexander supported his brother. The couple will live in Victoria.

SHIRLEY—READING

The marriage took place in the United Memorial Church, Halifax, N.S., on Saturday, April 5, when Rev. J. B. C. Fraser united in matrimony Muriel, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harry James Reading, England, and Mr. Albert Ernest Shirley, R.C.N., son of James E. Shirley and the late Mrs. Shirley, Sheffield, Yorks, England. The church organist played the wedding music. The bride was given in marriage by Philip Bourque, R.C.N., and was attired in a Churchill blue silk crepe dress, with Queen's blue hat and accessories, and a corsage bouquet of tea roses. She was attended by Miss Helen Gaston, wearing a crushed pink ensemble with navy blue accessories and a corsage bouquet of red roses. Holland Sheppard, R.C.N., was best man.

After the ceremony a small reception was held. Mr. and Mrs. Shirley will make their home at North Street, Halifax.

RED CROSS

CEDAR HILL JUNIORS

Junior Red Cross branches of Cedar Hill School will hold a garden party at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Herbert, Blenkinsop Road, on Wednesday, May 21.

RECEIPTS

The honorary treasurer of the Red Cross acknowledges the following: John Ensor exhibition (additional admissions), $24.82; Spring Ridge School (proceeds from concert), $10.71; Bay and Government Street Unit (additional), $5; Ganges' and North Salt Spring "K" Unit (additional), $35.40; Cordova Bay Unit (additional), $62.42; "Vicky," per Mrs. Bloomfield (additional), $14; Jordan River Sewing and Knitting Club (proceeds from tea), $10.35; Central Baptist Church, $25; Royal Canadian Navy Barracks, per Commander Hope, $12.13; Victoria Music Teachers' Association (proceeds from concert), $24.50; St. Columba Unit (additional), $30; and Empress Hotel collecting box, $6.28.

AID FOR NURSES

The nursing staff of the Red Cross outpost hospitals of this province has contributed $51 to the appeal made by the British Columbia Registered Nurses' Association to assist British civilian nurses, many of whom have lost all their worldly possessions in the bombings of hospitals.

IN MAIL BAG

Some recent letters in the Red Cross mail bag.

From Col. H. P. Mitchell, M.P., British liaison officer Polish forces:

"Thank you so much for the very generous gifts which the Canadian Red Cross Society are making for the Polish forces in this country. I can assure you they will be very much appreciated.

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"General Sikorski is staying with me just now, and I have told him of the generosity of the Canadian Red Cross. Please accept my warmest thanks."

COOMBS SALE

The Coombs (V.I.) Red Cross Unit recently held an auction sale in St. John's Hall, and the sum of $166 was handed to the Red Cross.

DISCLAIMS QUILT

The British Columbia Red Cross division is not sponsoring the chain quilt idea, which at present is being promoted in some parts of the province under the name of "Red Cross Circulation Quilt Block."

LIVERPOOL GOT SOME TEA

We have just received the chest of tea. This gift is much appreciated, and we would very much like you to pass on our warmest thanks to those who made this gift possible. The tea will be used in canteen and shelters, etc.; needless to say Liverpool presents the opportunity, and the need is great. We shall do all in our power to relieve the distress, and the cup that cheers will be very welcome; "Canada," we are proud of you! Many thanks.

From the current number of The Red Cross Despatch.

LADY TWEEDSMUIR

Lady Tweedsmuir, so well known and beloved in Canada, has been a most active Red Cross worker since she returned to England. She has offered her services to the Red Cross overseas committee "in any capacity." During the last war she assisted with the mending at the Taplow Hospital, and Major Scott, acting overseas commissioner, suggested that she take on this work again. She now heads a very capable committee which is looking after the mending of pyjamas, dressing gowns and the cutting and folding of gauze for the new Canadian Red Cross Hospital No. 5 at Taplow.

ST. GEORGE'S DAY

National headquarters of the Canadian Red Cross Society, Toronto, express the hope that members and workers of Red Cross will, wherever possible, attend St. George's Day celebrations which this year, pay special tribute to the Mother Country, which is bearing so bravely the brunt of totalitarian assault for all lovers of freedom.

SEES WAVES OF NAZI TROOPS MOWED DOWN

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tralian first-aider and myself worked on him with anti-burn liniment, but it was hopeless. He could not live through it.

All day and night there were waves of Germans in the sky. Eighteen Messerschmitts strafed us on the road last evening. Bullets ripped into our trucks and one was destroyed, but nobody was hurt.

Previous to that, the convoy I was in was attacked seven times in two hours. Not once was the convoy disorganised or broken up.

The Germans are using a fantastic amount of aircraft, more than I ever saw in Norway under similar conditions and terrain. Marshal Hermann Goering must have a third of his air force operating here and it is bombing every moor and cranny, hamlet, village and town in its path.

The last twelve days up here since Germany made war on Greece have been one long cannon and bomb roar. The only news Greece has heard so far from outside is from the British Broadcasting Corporation. No one seems to know about what has been going on up here. Fighting men around me wonder why their story is unknown. They have fought six Nazi divisions and knocked back two all in twelve days.

BRITISH TAKE OVER

Actually it started eight days ago when the Germans sent one division forward from Monastir into Greece. It was the Adolf Hitler Division. First they were met by a British armored force. Outnumbered twenty to one the British armored force took the brunt of the first German tank and artillery attack, then withdrew to a position in a pass south of Florina. Here the advance British defence units took over. At this pass a British Territorial battalion gave its blood in Spartan defence.

Then two more German divisions were sent up to support the Hitler Division. The three together re-attacked the British line. Using a new weapon, a 105-millimetre gun on tank tracks and moving under its own power, the Germans poured thousands of pounds of shells onto the roads and defences.

After a terrific bombardment from these guns and from the air, tanks and infantry attacked. There were not many tanks, but the infantry came on in wave after wave for twenty-seven hours.

German losses were fantastic in the first battle. By the time they had got to Kozani large pieces had been knocked from their three blitz divisions. At Kozani the Australians got into them. From prepared positions they poured hail into the Germans now supported by three more divisions and spreading out over the mountains.

From mountains covering Kozani Pass, the Australian big guns pounded day and night at the Nazi troops and the transport positions below. Machine guns battled across the one flat strip of land in Great War style. And all the time German infantry kept coming on, in wave after wave, and getting mown down wave after wave.

For four hours the battle went on at the entrance to Kozani Pass. All the way back through the pass, hundreds of oncoming Nazis fell before the now-combined British and Australian fire. One Australian unit hung on in these heights for so long, firing on the Germans below, that they found they were several miles behind the German lines. They escaped along a creek to Kozani.

Finally, out of Kozani, the Germans were blocked again when Australian sappers blew up a bridge over the Aliakmon River. The approach to this bridge was flat. Again the Germans came over in masses.

"I would not have believed it," a young Australian machine-gunner said to me. "They came up the side of the road like flies, shouting something. We were giving it to them from all sides and they went down like you see in the movies. It was just like a movie."

Every time the Germans tried to repair the bridge they got smashed about by the big guns, sitting on the mountains, popping off at them. The Germans sent up infantry to try to get the guns. They were beaten back every time. Finally the big 105's came up, but the British guns had already done their job and were withdrawn.

And that is the story up to the point where I am now somewhere north of Larissa.

UNBELIEVABLE STORIES

There are at least six German divisions spread out along the roads and mountains before me. I spoke to a dispatch rider from the coastal front. He said the Germans started fighting in the Katerini area Thursday morning. I have spoken with men coming back from the front and all have individual stories that are unbelievable unless you are here listening to the artillery roar.

Right now there is a lot of cheering going on around here. We can see bombs bursting about two miles away behind the German lines. "Oh, great God! They are getting some of their own medicine now, the ——." That's what I hear now. There is some good healthy cursing as well as laughter going on all around.

These same men had two German prisoners Thursday to look after. They were pilots from a bomber that had bombed them. Yet the Aussies were feeding the Germans on bully beef and trying to make them smile. But even the Aussies could not make these two smile. They were big youths who would not even talk when I spoke to them in German. They just sat silently chewing Australian bully beef and biscuits.

Now the bombing is over. It was a strange sound among the other battle sounds. There is another strange sound too. I have heard it many times in Albania and here. It is the sound of sheep bells. Peasants and their flocks are wandering in and around the battle area. Many have gone back southward. Some have gone up into the hills until they can come down again. But one peasant is slinging to the only tangible connection he has with being alive—his land and his flock. Battle or no battle he will stay there.

The bells have just the opposite effect to stray and intermittent rifle bullets. They might even be enough influence to make me sleep.

HIS SECRET

The teacher was explaining to the class the meaning of the word "recuperate."

"Now, Tommy," she said to a small boy, "when your father has worked hard all day, he is tired and worn out, isn't he?"

"Yes, ma'am."

"Then, when night comes and his work is over for the day, what does he do?"

"That's what mother wants to know," Tommy explained quickly.

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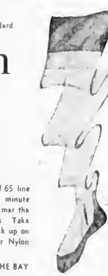

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DEATH TAKES OIL PIONEER

Captain J. Barneson, Well Known in B.C., Passes In California

Captain John Barneson, former master mariner and a pioneer in the development of California's petroleum industry, has passed away in Hillsborough, Cal., according to information received by his sister, Mrs. Mary Ransom, wife of Captain A. G. Ransom, Royal Oak.

The late Captain Barneson was well known here and in Vancouver, visiting British Columbia frequently, the last occasion being aboard his yacht Invader, on which he cruised for some time in local waters.

Captain Barneson, whose forbears followed the sea for generations was born at Wick, Scotland, a son of Captain John Barneson who was prominent in clipper ship days, being master, among other vessels, of the George Thompson and Willara, companion vessels of the renowned Cutty Sark, Thermopylae, Black Prince and Norman Court.

Going to sea at any early age, Captain Barneson gained his master's papers when he was twenty-one, and was placed in command of one of his father's ships on the American-Orient run. In 1890 he left the bridge and established his own shipping business on the Pacific Coast, but returned to his first love during the Spanish-American War as captain of the transport Arizona, carrying troops across the Pacific. During the Philippine Insurrection, he was made head of the entire transport service. It was during this period that he became interested in oil.

EXPERIMENT SUCCESS

Believing that the day when all ships would be propelled with oil was close at hand, Captain Barneson persuaded Captain Matson to try the new fuel on the Enterprise, then running between San Francisco and Hololulu. The experiment was a notable success, and within twenty years Captain Barneson saw his idea of oil-driven ships accepted throughout the shipping world.

From advocating the use of oil, Captain Barneson turned to the problems of production. According to The San Francisco Chronicle, he built the first oil pipe line in California, between Coalinga and Monterey. Against the advice of many "experts" he followed this with the construction of another line from the valley fields southward over the Tejon Pass. He then began operations in the Los Angeles area, with the formation of the Grand Pipe Line Company. He then became associated with the Esperanze Consolidated Oil Company, and in 1912 was the leading spirit in the expansion of this company into the General Petroleum Company. In 1926 he was elected vice-president of the Standard Oil Company of New York.

YACHTING FIGURE

Despite his business interests on land, Captain Barneson found time to become one of America's outstanding yachtsmen. Commodore of the old San Francisco Yacht Club, he was responsible for the yacht races that were one of the features of the 1915 Panama Pacific Exposition. In 1913 he went to London to arrange for British participation in the exposition regatta. When he returned to New York he purchased an eighty-five-foot schooner, the Edris, which he sailed around Cape Horn to San Francisco.

Incidentally, Captain A. A. Ransom now serving with the Canadian Artillery, son of Captain and Mrs. A. G. Ransom, Royal Oak, and a nephew of the late Captain John Barneson, recalled yesterday that his father had succeeded the skipper of the George Thompson as master of that ship and sailed her for some years.

Broken on Treacherous Spit

LOADED with a cargo valued at $1,250,000 and including oil drilling machinery, oil rags and lard, the Russian steamer Vatslav Vorovsky went ashore on Peacock Spit, mouth of the Columbia River on April 3. The ship struck the spit on the morning of that day, a rapidly rising wind and sea battering the vessel so badly through the day she had all but broken in two before nightfall, and all ideas of salvaging the hull were abandoned. The valuable cargo, however, was another matter, and preparations went forward to save whatever could be removed.

Instructed by the cargo underwriters, W. G. Jordan, superintendent of salvage operations for the Pacific Salvage Company here went to Astoria to report on cargo salvage possibilities. Returning last week, he stated the chances of retrieving any appreciable amount of the cargo were slim, and while several concerns were interested and ready to go to work when he left the scene, they would be paid on a percentage basis only for what was recovered.

Three tugboat companies, it is now stated, will attempt to salvage the Russian ship's cargo, success depending on the weather. Pictures show the Vorovsky on the same day. At top she is shown in the morning as she settled ashore on the spit, while the bottom picture, taken during the late afternoon, shows her practically broken in two. According to marine historians, the Vorovsky is only one of seventy-five vessels known to have been wrecked on end in the immediate vicinity of Peacock Spit.

TROPHY FOR SEA CADETS

Commodore Beech Presenting Devonshire Cup to Rainbow Rifle Team

At a special parade set for Wednesday night next in the Drill Hall, Outer Wharf, Commodore W. J. R. Beech, R.C.N., Pacific Command, will present the Duke of Devonshire Trophy and a number of medals to the rifle team of the Rainbow Sea Cadets.

The Rainbow Sea Cadet rifle team won the trophy by virtue of making the highest score of any cadet team in the Dominion of Canada last year. They will hold the trophy for one year. The medals, seven in all, two silver and five bronze, are for shooting in the Youth of the Empire Competition. The two silver medals are for scores of 100, the possible, while the bronze medals are for totals of ninety-nine.

In connection with the presentations, the Rainbow Sea Cadet Corps, under command of Lieut.-Commander P. W. Tribe, will be inspected by Commodore Beech, and he will be able to see the character of the work the lads are doing in their respective classes.

Following the inspection, refreshments will be served the members of the corps, who are reminded that the parade nights for the current week will be Tuesday and Wednesday, instead of Tuesday and Friday.

NOTICE TO MARINERS

Mariners are advised that the black, steel can buoy marking the north extreme of Tattenham Ledge, Welcome Pass, Malaspina Strait, B.C., is reported out of position. This buoy will be replaced in correct position as soon as possible.

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Agent, Dept. of Transport.

POOR THING!

"She had a head like a doorknob."
"How's that?"
"Any man could turn it."

Canadian Pacific First Aid Expert To Lecture Here

Concluding a seven-week intensive course on the Mainland during which all of his 567 railwaymen pupils "graduated," Frederick Blakeman, first aid instructor of Canadian Pacific Western lines, has arrived in Victoria to continue lectures for men of the B.C. Coast Steamship Service and E. & N. Railway.

Later he will go to Duncan, Port Alberni and Nanaimo to instruct railwaymen in the latest approved methods of first aid.

Mr. Blakeman's course includes a number of reels of valuable motion pictures illustrating various functions of the human body, and these are so advanced and important that they were shown last Thursday night to stretcher-bearers of the 2nd Battalion, Seaforth Highlanders of Canada, Vancouver, as part of their training.

MIGHT AS WELL

The young woman went into the photographer's shop and, producing a photo of her soldier friend, said: "I want this enlarged."

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AGREEMENT MAY SET PRECEDENT

Identical Wage Rates for Shipbuilders Would Help Programme

HYDE PARK, N.Y., April 19 (AP). — President Roosevelt intervened personally today to bring about ratification by West Coast shipyard employers and employees of an agreement to fix wage rates.

Through a secretary, William D. Hassett, he declared ratification would be in the interests of the whole shipbuilding programme and would set a precedent for the East Coast.

From the shipbuilding stabilization committee of the office of production management, the President earlier had received a report that it had worked out an agreement with shipyard employers and workers for identical wage rates in all West Coast shipyards. It reported another meeting would be held in Seattle tomorrow to ratify the agreement.

"It is now reported," Hassett asserted, "that since the tentative agreement was reached a minority group in Seattle is attempting to block ratification.

"In the interests of the shipbuilding programme as a whole, as well as to set a precedent for the East Coast the President hopes that this stabilization agreement will be ratified, because it seems to be a step in the right direction for speeding up the whole shipbuilding programme."

Norwegians Take To Wooden Shoes

WASHINGTON, April 19 (AP). — Wooden shoes are replacing leather-soled shoes in German-occupied Norway as a result of a leather shortage, authoritative information received in diplomatic quarters here showed today.

The wooden shoes, it was reported, are another indication of a growing list of inconveniences, hardships and prohibitions which beset the Norwegians under Nazi domination.

MAINLAND FIRM WILL CONSTRUCT BUILDING

VANCOUVER, April 19 (CP). — A $200,000 construction contract announced yesterday at Ottawa in connection with the Royal Canadian Air Force Station at Patricia Bay, near Victoria, is for an aerial torpedo training school, it was disclosed here today. The contract was let to Marwell Construction Company, of Vancouver.

MAIL AND SHIPS

WEATHER REPORTS

ESTEVAN—Clear, northwest, moderate, 30.25, 48, light chop.
PACHENA—Clear, northwest, moderate, 30.22, 45, light chop.
CARMANAH—Clear, southwest, light, 30.20, sea smooth.
LENNARD ISLAND—Clear, northwest, light, 30.26, light chop.

COASTING CRAFT

VICTORIA-VANCOUVER — Ss. Princess Kathleen or Ss. Princess Marguerite will leave Victoria daily for Vancouver at 2 p.m.; Ss. Princess Kathleen or Ss. Princess Marguerite will arrive from Vancouver daily at 1.15 p.m. Ss. Princess Joan or Ss. Princess Elizabeth will leave for Vancouver daily at 12 midnight; Ss. Princess Joan or Ss. Princess Elizabeth will arrive from Vancouver daily at 7 a.m.

VICTORIA-SEATTLE—Ss. Princess Kathleen or Ss. Princess Marguerite will leave Victoria daily for Seattle at 9.30 a.m.; Ss. Princess Kathleen or Ss. Princess Marguerite will arrive from Seattle daily at 1.15 a.m. Ss. Iroquois will leave Victoria daily for Seattle at 5.15 p.m.; Ss. Iroquois will arrive from Seattle daily at 8.25 a.m.

VICTORIA-PORT ANGELES—Ss. Iroquois will leave Victoria daily for Port Angeles at 5.15 p.m.; Ss. Iroquois will arrive Victoria daily from Port Angeles at 8.25 a.m.

SWARTZ BAY-SALT SPRING ISLAND—Ms. Cy Peck will leave Swartz Bay daily except Wednesday, for Fulford Harbor at 9.30 a.m. and 5 p.m.; Ms. Cy Peck will leave Fulford Harbor for Swartz Bay daily except Wednesday, at 8.15 a.m. and 4 p.m.

VICTORIA-GULF ISLANDS-VANCOUVER—Ss. Princess Mary will leave Victoria at 10.30 a.m., Tuesdays for Vancouver via Gulf Islands. Ss. Princess Mary will arrive at Victoria via Gulf Islands at 8.30 a.m. Mondays.

WEST COAST—Ss. Princess Norah or Ss. Princess Maquinna will leave Victoria for Port Alice and West Coast points of Vancouver Island on the 1st, 11th and 21st of each month.

NANAIMO-VANCOUVER — Ss. Princess Elaine, Joan or Elizabeth will leave Nanaimo daily except Saturday and Sunday at 7.30 a.m. and 2.30 p.m. Ss. Princess Elaine, Joan or Elizabeth will leave Nanaimo Saturday only at 7.30 a.m., 2.30 p.m. and 9.15 p.m.; Ss. Princess Elaine, Joan or Elizabeth will leave Nanaimo Sunday only at 3.45 p.m. Ss. Princess Elaine, Joan or Elizabeth will arrive at Nanaimo daily, except Saturday and Sunday at 1.30 p.m. and 9.30 p.m.; Ss. Princess Elaine, Joan or Elizabeth will arrive at Nanaimo Saturday only at 1.30 and 9.30 p.m.; Ss. Princess Elaine, Joan or Elizabeth will arrive at Nanaimo Sunday only at 1.30 p.m. and 11.30 p.m.

NANAIMO - GABRIOLA — Ms. Atrevida will leave Canadian Pacific Wharf, Nanaimo daily (except Wednesdays) at 8.30 a.m. for Gabriola.

BRENTWOOD-MILL BAY — Ms. Cascade will leave Brentwood for Mill Bay every day, except Sunday at 8 a.m., 10 a.m., 3 p.m., 5 p.m., 8 p.m. Ms. Cascade will leave Mill Bay for Brentwood every day except Sunday at 8.30 a.m., 10.30 a.m., 3.30 p.m., 5.30 p.m., 8.30 p.m. Ms. Cascade will leave Brentwood for Mill Bay on Sundays at 8 a.m., 10 a.m., 11 a.m., 2 p.m., 5 p.m., 6 p.m., 8 p.m.; Ms. Cascade will leave Mill Bay for Brentwood on Sundays at 8.30 a.m., 10.30 a.m., 11.30 a.m., 2.30 p.m., 5.30 p.m., 6.30 p.m., 8.30 p.m.

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JURY VERDICT FREES DRIVER

Wong Tong Meets Death by Accident—Recommend Safety Precautions

A verdict of accidental death in the case of Wong Tong, fifty-nine Chinese, was returned by a coroner's jury after Dr. E. C. Hart at the Thomson Funeral Home yesterday morning.

The jury sat for two days, on Thursday, morning when run over by a Ross lumber carrier at the Cameron Lumber Co., Ltd., sawmill.

Members of the jury added a rider that they considered insufficient safety precautions existed in the operation of lumber carriers at the sawmill, and recommended action be taken to protect workmen.

Dr. Samuel Janowsky, the first witness, stated that Wong was dead on arrival at St. Joseph's Hospital as a result of multiple fractures of the ribs, internal haemorrhage and shock. Hip Yick identified the deceased.

William Stirg, a lumber loader, said he saw a loaded Ross lumber carrier approaching Wong about 10 15 o'clock Thursday morning at the Cameron sawmill. He had made gists to warn the Chinese and the driver, but Wong turned his head too late and was struck down from the rear.

SHOUTS WARNING

Alexander Jarvie, first aid man, stated he had looked up and noticed the lumber carrier about two feet from the Chinese in a place where he should loudly. The Chinese fell and a wheel went half way over his body. Immediately the carrier stopped and backed up. After first aid, Wong was rushed to St. Joseph's Hospital. Mr. Jarvie said the Chinese had been employed at the mill more than thirty years, and was quite familiar with the planer mill and operation methods of the carrier.

Reginald Readings, driver of the lumber carrier said he had sounded his horn and entered the planer shed to deposit lumber for a ripsaw, but admitted the noise of machinery might have drowned out the signal. He said he was making a right turn, and the engine hood on the machine obscured his vision. He had been proceeding about two miles per hour, and stopped immediately and reversed on hearing a shout. He thought the projecting load had knocked down the Chinese before a wheel touched his body.

Members of the coroner's jury were Harold Brummell (foreman), Robert Campbell, Douglas A. McLellan, Adolf Nielson, Jack Pace and Lloyd Hunt. M. R. Jackson, K.C., appeared for relatives of the deceased.

RECRUITS ARE STILL NEEDED

Active Army Wants at Least 1,000 Men as Overseas Replacements

There has been some improvement in the number of recruits received during the past two months, March showing a fair advance over February, and the results so far achieved during April being considerably better than for the similar period during March, military headquarters here said yesterday.

There is still, however, need at the present time for about 1,000 men, and the demand is increasing rather than decreasing. Monthly demands will be made from now on for reinforcements overseas, as outlined by the Minister of National Defence in his recent broadcast, and there is also a constant demand for replacements in local units and for new units that are being formed. It is anticipated that a total of 600 to 700 men per month will be required in addition to the 1,000 that are now being called for.

Requirements are for practically every branch of the service and recruiting officers throughout the province are enlisting all applicants between the ages of eighteen and forty-five who are category "A". Many men of "B" category, who are skilled tradesmen, are also being taken on.

Arrangements have been made for the staff recruiting parties to continue their trips throughout the province and there is hardly a section that is not being covered.

The first class of men who have been trained under the youth training scheme have now been distributed to the various units for which they are required, and a start has been made on a second series. While this will, to some extent, alleviate the large and growing need for skilled tradesmen of all kinds, there are still numerous calls that cannot be met with the present flow of recruits. The recruiting officers are have complete lists of the types of tradesmen required and are making a special drive for them.

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"TAURUS"

If April 20 is your birthday, the best hours for you on this date are from 9 30 to 11 30 a.m., from 1 30 to 3 30 p.m., and from 7 30 to 9 30 p.m. The danger periods are from 3 20 to 5 20 a.m., from 5 30 to 7 20 p.m. and from 9 30 to 11 30 p.m.

If April 20 is the anniversary of your birth you were born under the Zodiacal Sign Taurus. On April 20 the sun entered the sign of Taurus at 6 51 a.m. E.S.T. People born under this sign are sociable, determinable, resolute cautious and tolerant. Although good humored by nature, they are capable of becoming violently angry. When they take a firm stand or get a fixed idea it is difficult to get them to change it. As a rule they believe what people do not know will not hurt them, and frequently a strong reluctance to discuss their personal affairs. They know how to keep a secret and seldom will divulge any that are confided in them. Laughter comes quickly to them and they like to indulge in it. They are fond of social activities as a rule and are real assets in any home or business. Taurus people generally are mentally well developed, very energetic and usually take a keen interest in any cultural art. The moon made and controls the birthdates of Taurus people, and Friday generally is the lucky day in the week for them. It might interest married and engaged couples, as well as those whose courting is preceding, to know that the flowers included among the natural affinities of Taurians are the daisy, golden-rod, cowslip and violet.

If a woman and April 20 is your birthday, your favorite colors should include pink, greenish yellow and dark blue. A willing spirit prompts people to ever ready to serve your family or friends voluntarily but you resent any attempt being made to force you to do anything against your free will. Of a deeply affectionate nature a loving approach is all that is needed to get you to do almost anything within reason. Words of appreciation and encouragement are all that are needed in stimulate your efforts. You should have a gift for running business, selling, managing an office or business, as well as writing, teaching or dramatic work. Love generally begets love, and with the abundance you have to bestow upon a husband you are sure to receive your full quota of it from him.

The child born on April 20 usually loves praise and generally will work hard to get it. Children born on this date sometimes become discouraged and resentful if their efforts to get good results are not appreciated and encouraged. Enthusiasm has a tendency to make them overdo things so parents must teach them the meaning of moderation.

If a man and April 20 is your natal day your self-reliance and perseverance should enable you to accomplish your aims in life. You have a decided aptitude for literary, literary, medical, educational, theological, mechanical, agricultural, musical, journalistic, or appealing commercial work.

MONDAY, APRIL 21 "TAURUS"

If April 21 is your birthday, the best hours for you on this date are from 9 45 to 11 45 a.m.; from 1 45 to 3 45 p.m., and from 7 45 to 9 45 p.m. The danger periods are from 3 45 to 5 45 a.m.; from 5 45 to 7 45 p.m. and from 9 45 to 11 45 p.m.

Considerations for other people's feelings is a virtue many persons seem to lack. Be careful to avoid serious of this pertaining fault if you are tempted to say anything unkind or sarcastic. Money will be the primary cause of a great deal of discussion in many families on this date, so sordid and selfish impulses must be suppressed. If you will be open-minded and ready to listen to reason, you should have little difficulty in knowing the right course to pursue. April 20 will be propitious for making good resolutions, for those resolutions made seriously should stay in back of them sufficient strength of character to give them praiseworthy endurance. Over-confident egotists are apt to be outmatched on this date, so it will be good judgment to give other people credit for having plenty of sense and knowledge of how to use it. Married and engaged couples, and those who have arrived at the conclusion that fate intends them to face a matrimonial future together, must overcome their love can only exist where there is mutual respect and wholehearted confidence.

If a woman and April 21 is your birthday, you should, in case of emergency, be capable of doing some remarkably fast thinking. Your personality will, in all likelihood be responsible for your success. You should win much praise and a justly earned reward because of your efficiency in handling difficult tasks. Your outstanding characteristics indicate that you should be successful as a public stenographer, accountant, designer, illustrator, modiste, beautician, motion picture operator, writer, teacher, musician, singer, actress, or in a managerial capacity. You have the ability to make some one man extremely happy so your matrimonial prospects for happiness are most promising.

The child born on April 21 usually is an active baby and gives evidence of possessing the necessary grip to keep pace with anyone in or outside the schoolroom. Children born on this date generally have the ability to keep highly combustible tempers under excellent control. Hard work and an unlimited amount of ambitious energy should help Taurian youngsters to achieve a high degree of success.

If a man and April 21 is your natal day, you may be a constant enigma to your family and friends because of a disinclination to discuss your personal affairs. It may be a mistake for you to be too secretive with anyone sincerely interested in your welfare and future. As a printer, engraver, clergyman, electric inventor, writer, sculptor, doctor, botanist, lawyer, journalist, sales representative, manufacturer or agriculturist, you should have no difficulty in winning many laurels.

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Military Activities

5th (B.C.) COAST BDE., R.C.A. (R.F.)

Brigade orders by Lt-Col J. C. Harris, V.D., officer commanding.

Duties for week ending 26th—Brigade Orderly officer, 2nd Lt. P. J. Dresselhuys; Orderly sergeant, A.-Sgt. F. S. Pigott.

Parades—Wednesday, April 23: Woodwin Mills, 20 hours. Thursday: April 24, Woodwin Mills, 20.00 hours. Saturday, April 26, in hours, 14.30 hours.

Manning Details—Batteries will make up their respective manning details and will see that troops are trained accordingly for Wednesday and Saturday afternoon parades.

Recruiting—Men between the ages of eighteen and forty-five years are required to bring this unit up to Home War Establishment.

P. T. STERN,
Major and Adjt.
5th (B.C.) Coast Bde R.C.A. (R.F.)

VICTORIA TROOP, 1st S. E. BATTERY, R.C.A. (R.F.)

Orders for week ending April 27, 1941; Lt-Col. E. B. Wesley, commanding officer.

Duties—Orderly officer, 2nd Lieut. R. A. B. Woodwin; Orderly sergeant, L.-Bdr. A. E. McBride.

Parades—Tuesday, April 22, 19.45 hours, as detailed. Wednesday, April 23, 19.30 hours, dismal squad at Woodwin Mills. Thursday, April 24, 19.45 hours, regular detail at Bay Street Armoury. Friday, April 25, 19.45 hours, dismal squad at Woodwin Mills, training as per syllabus.

Recruits—Recruits are needed to fill up a few vacancies in this regiment. Men with experience and mechanical training preferred.

A. A. HANSON,
Capt. R.C.A. (R.F.)
For Lt.-Col. E. B. Wesley, officer commanding.

2nd BN. THE CANADIAN SCOTTISH REGIMENT (R.F.)

Orders by Lt.-Col. P. B. J. Stephenson, officer commanding.

Duties—Orderly officer for week ending April 26, 2nd Lieut. F. E. Baleom; next for duty, 2nd-Lt. W. F. Munns. Orderly sergeant for week ending April 26, C.S.M. K479260 Sergt. C. B. McIntosh; orderly corporal for week ending April 26, Pte. K479006 Cpl. A. Robillard.

Parades—Monday, April 21, 1941: companies will parade at Armadale at 18 45 hours. Commanding officer's inspection at 20.00 hours. Training as per syllabus. Wednesday, April 23, 1941, companies will parade at Armadale at 19 45 hours. Training as per syllabus.

D PYVIE, Capt and Adjt.
Pro Officer Commanding
3rd Bn. The Canadian Scottish Regiment (R.F.)

11th INFANTRY RESERVE COMBINED VETERANS' GUARD OF CANADA (R.F.)

Company orders by Capt. J. A. Dewar, officer commanding.

Duties—Orderly officer for week ending April 16, 1941, Lieut. A. H. Frank; next for duty, Lieut. T. B. Matthison. Orderly sergeant for week ending April 19, 1941, K303081 A.-Cpl. W. J. Binney; next for duty, K303040 A.-Cpl. J. W. Hoskins.

Parades — Wednesday, April 23 (M), the company will parade at Bay Street Armoury for inspection and presentation of cap badges by Colonel R. M. Urquhart, D.S.O.

MC ADC at 19 45 hours. Friday April 25, 1941, the company will parade at Bay Street Armoury at 19 45 hours. Training as per syllabus.

D PYVIE, Capt and Adjt.
Pro Officer Commanding
2nd Bn. The Canadian Scottish Regiment (R.F.)

No. 2 ECHELON, 6th DIV. SUPPLY COLUMN, R.C.A.M.C. (R.F.)

Orders by Captain H. A. Hanson, for Major C. H. Wilkinson, officer commanding.

Part I

Duties—Orderly officer for week ending April 26, 1941, Lieut. W. M. Skillings; orderly sergeant for week ending Saturday, April 26, 1941, K332965 A-Sgt. R. Harris; next for duty, K332140 A-Sgt. O. Redmond. Orderly corporal, K332191 A.-Cpl. A. T. Restall; next for duty, K332130 A.-Cpl. J. T. Ockenden. Range officer, Lieut. W. M. Skillings. Range sergeant, K332006 A.-Sgt. O. W. D. Kerr.

Parades—Tuesday, April 22, 1941, the Unit will parade at the Woodwin Mills at 19.45 hours. Pay parade Dress, drill order. Friday, April 25, NCO's Class will parade at the Woodwin Mills at 18 45 hours. Dress, drill order. "H" Section will parade at the Bay Street Armoury at 19 30 hours. Dress drill order.

H. A. HANSON, Captain,
For Major Commanding,
6th Div. Supply Column,
RCASC (R)

No. 13 FIELD AMBULANCE R.C.A.M.C. (R.F.)

Orders by Lieut.-Col. E. M. W. Elkington, officer commanding Woodwin Mills, April 18, 1941.

Parade—All personnel who have not been medically boarded will parade at the Woodwin Mills at 20 00 hours, Tuesday, April 22, 1941, and Friday, April 25, 1941. Dress, drill order.

Prohibition of Photography—The attention of all members of the forces is drawn to N.D.H.Q. Order, Defence of Canada Regulations No. 16, prohibiting photography in certain areas in Victoria, Vancouver, Prince Rupert, and Yorke Island. The contents of this order are to be found on "Public Notices, Defence of Canada Regulations Prohibition of Photography of specified places", area "proted in prominent places throughout British Columbia, and in particular, in harbors, post-offices, on CPR wharfs and on coastal ships.

It has been brought to notice that photography in the prohibited areas is still continuing. This breach of orders must cease.

All ranks will familiarize themselves with the areas in which photography has been prohibited.

F. H. W. ELKINGTON, Lt.-Col.
OC. 13th Field Ambulance,
RCAMC (RF)

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SYDNEY WINS FIRST GAME OF ALLAN CUP SERIES

Revellers Smash Through Juniors For Easy Victory

Senior British Columbia Grid Champions Smother All-Stars From Lower Circuit by 23-3 Score in Final Match of Season—Seven Junior Regulars Not in Line-Up

Well it's back to the wraps and the liniment bottle for the Revellers but the old men will be taking a pleasant memory with them in the form of an easy 23-3 win over the Junior League All-Stars which they chalked up yesterday afternoon before a good crowd at Macdonald Park.

But it would hardly be fair to the juniors to say that they were represented by an all-star team. No less than seven players picked by the selection committee for the representative team were absent from the juniors' line-up, which meant simply that Brewer Park Wh[illegible] squad had two strikes on them before the opening whistle even blew.

About all the youngsters had was plenty of fight and determination but they needed more than that to beat George Deacon's Revellers. The seniors had a decided weight advantage and they threw so many blocks and tackles at their young opponents that the juniors had to take to the air to make any points at all.

The Revellers running attack although a little slipshod at times when the boys were having some fun left the "semi-All-Stars flatfooted. "Twinkletoes" Barber was particularly annoying to the juniors and as the final whistle blew they were still trying to figure out how to stop him.

LACK OF BLOCKING

Lack of blocking in the juniors backfield left the principal ball carriers, Bob Wallace, Ernie Dyer and Don Garrison easy prey for the hard-charging Revellers line.

The score at the end of the first half was but 6-0 for the British Columbia champions, but they really turned on the heat in the next two quarters.

The first score came about in a way through the first quarter. All-Stars were pushed back to their own goal line and Leon Hall attempted to kick clear. His punt was short and Humph Payne went over from five yards out with Rt Gornall converting. On the kick-off, big Bill Thompson booted the ball so hard that it hit the juniors goal post and bounced twenty yards back up the field.

Revellers were penalized several times for high tackling. An attempted field goal by Wallace was just under the bar from forty yards out and Barber ran the ball back fifty yards before being brought down. The juniors were completing some nice passes but just before the half ended Barber scampered fifty-five yards around his left end and this time the kick was partially blocked but bounced between the uprights, making the score 17-0.

Payne, Barber, Tom McKeachie, Grogan, Brent and Geoff Murdoch all did some fine ball carrying for the winners. At the start of the final period, Grogan went twenty yards to score and Gornall again converted, making it 23-0.

Two neat passes starting from their own thirty-yard line, Garrison to Dyer and Wallace to Garrison netted the juniors some forty yards. The Revs were penalized for high tackling, and before they knew it the ball was on their twenty-yard line. After failing to get through the line Wallace kicked a field goal from thirty yards out to end the day's scoring at 23-3.

Rowles' Victoria Boys' Band was present and played several numbers. Shields and Zaronk officiated.

Teams follow:

Revellers—G Murdoch, B Murdoch, Gornall, Barber, T McKeachie, J McKeachie, Payne, Grogan, Anderson, Berry, Smith, Stevens, Jenkins, Thompson and Baker.

Junior All-Stars—Dyer, Monaghan, Wallace, Alexander, Jenkins, Fish, Crockett, Moncton, Pierce, Elford, Murdoch, Garrison, McKay, Fontana and Hall.

SCORE MOUNTS

The seniors started a sixty-yard march as the third quarter opened and Barber scored on a fake line buck. Gornall's try for the extra point missed. About three minutes later Barber pulled the same play from ten yards out to score again.

FRANK BRIERS CHOSEN HEAD FOR THE YEAR

V.A.S.C. Names Officers at Annual Parley—Cups Are Presented

Members of the Victoria Amateur Swimming Club held their annual meeting recently at the Crystal Garden, when reports on the past season's activities were submitted and officers elected. The business session was held in the lower ballroom, and during the evening winners of the handicap cups were announced.

Ruth Ball annexed the girls' handicap trophy, and the boys' cup went to Eric Jubb. Jean Dyer was named the winner of the club merit cup, given to the member showing the best club spirit.

The new slate of officers follows: Honorary president, R W Hibberson; president, Frank Briers; first vice-president, Mrs A Gaiger; second vice-president, Capt Norman Foster; secretary, Ian Mackenzie; treasurer, Mr J McNeil; coach, Jim McCague; assistant coach, Frank Hyslop; diving coach, Mrs R W Hibberson; boys captain, Ken Hurn; girls' captain, Jean Dyer; life-saving, Dave Franklin; executive members, Mrs W McCague, Mrs Jubb, W T Stanyon, G M Petch; publicity, Mrs P Thomas.

Results of races held for club members follow:

Juvenile girls, free style—1, Ruth Petch; 2, Norma Dunn; 3, Irene Hurdle.

Juvenile boys, free style—1, Tom Ray; 2, Ray Jubb; 3, Ronnie McLeod.

Fifty yards, free style, handicap, girls—1, Jean Dyer; 2, Shirley Filewood; 3, Sonia Leiper.

Fifty yards, free style, handicap, boys—1, Eric Jubb; 2, Darrel Nute; 3, Jim Conyers.

Fifty yards breaststroke handicap, girls—1, Ann Greenwood; 2, Sonia Leiper; 3, Ruth Ball.

Fifty yards breaststroke handicap, boys—1, Ian Mackenzie; 2, Darrel Nute; 3, Eric Jubb.

Fifty yards backstroke handicap, boys—1, Ken Hurn; 2, Eric Jubb; 3, Pete Olser.

Fifty yards backstroke handicap, girls—1, Sonia Leiper; 2, Ruth Bell; 3, Jean Dyer.

YOUNG BOXERS DISPLAY SKILL

Schoolboys' Tournament Is Held at Duncan—Sixteen Bouts Run Off

DUNCAN, April 19—The annual schoolboys' boxing contests sponsored by the Duncan Kinsmen was begun last night at the Duncan Gymnasium and a good crowd witnessed sixteen keenly-contested elimination bouts.

V R (Buck) Kennett was in charge of general arrangements. C F Davie acted as timekeeper, O T Smythe as announcer, W Noyes as referee and H B Vogel and Bert Bailey as judges.

The judges' decisions were well received in fifteen of the sixteen bouts, but the decision giving the win to Arnison over Wilkinson brought howls of protest from the crowd. Wilkinson appeared to the spectators to have a big margin all the way. His opponent was warned twice for fouling in the first of the three rounds, and in the second round the referee awarded the round to Wilkinson because of a third low hit. Nevertheless, Arnison was given the decision by the judges.

Friday evening's results follow:

60 to 69 Pounds—W Meers, Fairbridge, won from J Robinson, Fairbridge.

70 to 79 Pounds—R Todd, Fairbridge, won from E Munn, Fairbridge; H Robinson, Fairbridge, won from K Gray, Fairbridge; R [illegible]an, Fairbridge, won from R Milne, Fairbridge; K Arnison, Fairbridge, won from C Wilkinson, Cobble Hill; B Forrest, Duncan, won from J Dakers, Fairbridge; R Duncan, Fairbridge, won from W. Emmer on Fairbridge; J Clough, Duncan, won from R Todd, Fairbridge.

80 to 89 Pounds—J Bennett, Fairbridge, won from W Dowler, Fairbridge; J Alsop, Fairbridge, won from W Cockburn, Fairbridge; G Neale, Fairbridge, won from H White, Fairbridge.

90 to 99 Pounds—R Gregson, Duncan, won from L Hunt, Fairbridge; C Garside, Fairbridge, won from P Garland, Fairbridge.

100 to 109 Pounds—A Buglass, Fairbridge, won from A Bettonie, Fairbridge; R Anton, Fairbridge, won from W. Richards, Fairbridge.

Lawn Bowling to Start Saturday On Local Greens

BECAUSE of the erratic actions of the weatherman, the inauguration of the season at the various lawn bowling clubs in the Victoria district has been retarded until a later date than usual and last evening those in authority at the different clubs, excepting the Canadian Pacific stated their greens would be opened for the 1941 season on Saturday next, April 26. The official opening for the whole district will take place on greens of Lake Hill Lawn Bowling Club where a contest will be staged between rinks representing the president and vice-president of the Greater Victoria Association. Each club in the district will send representatives to Lake Hill, and from these will be chosen those to represent the opposing factions.

By the Saturday prior to the official opening date it may be able to state what teams will be selected in which case the list will be published in these columns.

DAILY DOUBLE

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OAKLAND, Calif., April 19 (AP)—Powered by one of the greatest crews in all its brilliant eight-oared racing history, University of Washington sounded a stirring opening challenge today in defence of its national championship with a course record-breaking victory over University of California.

The Huskies finished with approximately three lengths to spare and going away eased up.

The time for the three miles was phenomenal, 14.38. It broke by 20.8 seconds the old course record for the Oakland Estuary.

Finished Second in Canadian Tourney

Here's ten members of the University of British Columbia archery team, as they lined up to let the arrows fly towards the targets some distance away. This squad of girl experts have just finished second in the Canadian inter-collegiate tournament which is staged annually across the Dominion. It was the third straight year that the Varsity representatives have captured the runner-up honors against the best in Canada. Archery has gained in popularity at the Point Grey institution, especially with the girls, who find it wonderful exercise and keeps them fit for other sports.

NORTH SHORE XI TROPHY WINNERS

VANCOUVER, April 19 (CP)—North Shore United retained the Mainland Soccer Cup by defeating St Saviours, 3-0, in the final at Con Jones Park today before a crowd of 2,500.

Only at odd moments were the losers dangerous and the score might easily have been doubled had the winners enjoyed any luck with their shooting.

St Saviours played without method, booted the ball anywhere without thought of finding their own men and were so outplayed in the first half that they might have been down four goals at the interval.

On the other hand North Shore had method, kept position and their halfbacks held the Saints forwards in complete control all through as well as helping their own attack with splendid forward passes.

Dan Kitial kept goal magnificently for St Saviours and saved innumerable shots.

Johnny Gaudes Boxes Way to Championship

Scores Ten-Round Decision Over Jimmy Chapman To Lift Western Canada Bantam Crown—Vancouver Lad Goes Down Three Times

EDMONTON, April 19 (CP)—Johnny Gaudes of Winnipeg, won the Western Canada bantamweight championship by scoring a ten round decision over Jimmy Chapman of Vancouver. The Winnipeg boy floored Chapman three times in early rounds.

Gaudes, a former Canadian bantamweight champion, while Chapman was recognized as Western Canadian bantamweight champion by the Western Canada Professional Boxing Association. Present Dominion champion recognized by the Canadian Boxing Association is Eddie Petrin of Montreal who defeated Alex McCullough of Hamilton about four months ago.

Packing dynamic punches in both fists, hooking in fast, Gaudes mauled Chapman to the canvas first in the fourth round, then downed him again for counts of seven and nine in the sixth. Chapman, who relied on his three and a half inches longer reach for defence, met his opponent with a straight left to the face time after time in the final rounds to force a decision.

Chapman also used a straight left to good advantage for offence as the fight opened, while Gaudes made quick tallies, pounding Chapman's body with sharp jabs in the in-fighting.

CHAPMAN GOES DOWN

Gaudes attempted to throw overhand punches at his taller opponent's face in the third round but Chapman tied him up in clinches. After the fourth round knockdown Chapman started missing as Gaudes dodged and ducked, making spasmodic thrusts.

After flooring Chapman twice in the sixth Gaudes rushed in to try to end the fight in the seventh but Chapman held him off with his left. The Vancouver fighter came back strong in the eighth to rock the peppery Winnipegger with lefts to the face.

Again in the last two rounds Chapman held off Gaudes. Both fighters appeared groggy.

Gaudes weighed in at 118, Chapman at 117 1/2.

Results of preliminary bouts were as follows:

Mushy Callahan of Calgary, 158 1-2, decisioned Dave Wingquist of Barrhead, Alta., in six rounds.

Victor Pollock, Edmonton, 146, scored a technical knockout over Ricky Henderson, also of Edmonton, 150, in the second round of a scheduled four rounder.

Pte Jimmy Rimmer of Calgary member of the Edmonton Regiment, 126, decisioned Hector Barcello, Edmonton, 134, four rounds.

Pte Buster McLean of Edmonton Fusiliers, 136, decisioned Pte Jimmy McCullough, Edmonton Fusiliers, 140, in four rounds.

BELIEVE IT OR NOT . . . . . . By Ripley

EXPLANATION FOR YESTERDAY'S RIPLEY CARTOON

A Wonder Horse—Eclipse, so called because he was foaled during the great eclipse of 1764, was never beaten on the turf, and gave rise to the saying that in every race "Eclipse is first and the rest nowhere." In twenty-three years at the stud he sired 344 winners, dying in 1789. The descendants of Eclipse won $2,107,000 in a single year (1894). Among them were ninety-five Derby winners. His heart was ascertained to have weighed over fourteen pounds, to which circumstance is ascribed the horse's phenomenal endurance and record.

Please address all queries to Cartoonist Ripley, c/o King Features, New York City, N.Y.

LES POPE IS NAMED AGAIN

Elected President of Vancouver Rugby Union for Third Time

VANCOUVER, April 19 (CP)—Les Pope was re-elected president of the Vancouver Rugby Union for its third consecutive term at the annual general meeting of that organization here, while Lorne Aggett was named secretary again for the fourth time.

Bruce MacKoddie, who has acted as treasurer for the last few years, is unable to accept office again because of military duties and it was decided to combine the office with that of secretary. Russ Kinninmont was again chosen honorary auditor.

The board of control will consist of President Pope, Secretary-Treasurer Lorne Aggett, Frank Birnham, John Harker, Fred H Goodenid, Orville Moscrip and George (Tiger) Rofe.

EASTERN ICE TEAM WINS HIGH SCORING GAME FROM REGINA

Millionaires Skate to 8-6 Victory Over Western Representatives in First of Play-Offs for Canadian Amateur Hockey Crown—Second Game in Regina Tomorrow Night

CALGARY, April 19 (CP)—Sydney Millionaires outscored Regina Rangers, 8-6, here tonight in the first game of the Allan Cup finals for the Canadian senior hockey championship. Second game of the best of five will be played in Regina Monday and the third in Saskatoon on Wednesday.

Bobby Walton led Sydney scorers with five goals and other marksmen for the Eastern champions were Grant Hall with two and Remi van Daele, who scored the winning goal on a penalty shot midway through the third period.

Garth Bush with three, Johnny Kennedy and Frank Mario counted for Regina.

Regina led 2-1 at the end of the first and 4-4 at the end of the second, but the Sydney powerhouse roared in the third as Millionaires scored four, while holding Regina to one.

Sydney was awarded the penalty shot when Lloyd Davidson pulled down Hall, who had broken away alone from a Regina attack. Van Daele went in alone with the puck and while skating parallel to the red line fired a low shot that went past Henry's knees.

Sydney increased the margin to two goals at the three-quarter mark of the third and then ended the scoring when Walton broke away from another Regina offensive and beat Henry from close in.

36,000 Attend Soccer Tussle—Rangers in Win

LONDON, April 19 (CP)—Semi-final games in the Football Association's War Cup and Scottish League competitions attracted crowds totalling 125,000 today.

The largest crowd, 36,000 at Glasgow, saw the famous Glasgow Rangers defeat St Mirren 4-1. In the other Scottish Cup semi-final Hearts defeated the Celtic 2-0.

In the War Cup competition, Leicester City upset Arsenal 1-0 at Tottenham. Preston North End shut out the visiting Newcastle United 2-0 in the other semi-final.

The day's big surprise was the defeat of Arsenal. Leicester City's forwards held sway throughout and the City scored midway in the second half when Crayston, right halfback joined the attack and fired the winning goal.

BOXLA PARLEY MONDAY NIGHT

Important Session Will Be Held in The Colonist Board Room at 8 o'Clock

Boxla officials and team managers will gather tomorrow evening in The Colonist board room to make plans for the 1941 season at the Victoria Sports Centre. The important session will get under way at 8 o'clock and all clubs are asked to have delegates present.

Prospects for the coming season look exceptionally bright with four and possibly five senior clubs ready to swing into action. James Bay, last season's champions, Jokers and Alerts are all ready for the 1941 campaign while new entries include the Army and the Victoria Indians.

Four well-balanced junior teams have filed their entries while applications have also been received from juvenile clubs.

Many important matters including the date for the opening of the season will be discussed at tomorrow's parley.

BOXLA WORKOUTS

James Bay senior box lacrosse team will hold a workout this morning at the Sports Centre at 11 o'clock. All players are requested to attend.

Owl Drug junior box lacrosse club will hold a workout at the Sports Centre tomorrow evening at 7 o'clock. A full attendance is requested.

WESTS' REUNION

Those attending the Victoria West Football Club reunion, Friday evening in Spencer's dining-room are reminded that the festivities will commence promptly at 7 o'clock. Capt S H Okell, former player, club president and team captain, will be the general chairman.

DEFEAT ROVERS IN CUP SOCCER

Collegians Mark Up 2-0 Victory in Fourth Division Juvenile Football Final

Another cup final came St Louis College's way yesterday at Royal Athletic Park with a two-year-goal victory over Gorge Rovers. The Collegians took hold of the game from the kick-off, and Cranston Browning scored early with a nice shot. The reverse pepped up the Rovers considerably and more even play resulted.

Fifteen minutes later, and during a goalmouth scrimmage, the ball was passed back to Daniel, who made no mistake with a high drop-ing shot which passed over the goalie just under the crossbar. Few juvenile goalkeepers could have saved it. This goal proved to be the final one.

Commencing the second half the Rovers set about their job in a more business-like way, enjoying several periods of progressive play, during which the Collegians' goal narrowly missed falling and they also prevented St Louis College from scoring.

St Louis College's sturdy center, Leonard French, was held by the Gorge defence and was unable to produce any of his brilliant drives. For the first time in many games his name is not on the score sheet, although he made many openings for his confreres who failed to take advantage of them. The well-managed and well-schooled Collegians deserved their victory, but had the Gorge Rovers commenced the game with a determination to make a fight of it the result may have been different.

P J Woolley refereed and the teams were:

St Louis College—D Hall, J O'Brien, F Mounen, B [illegible], H Grey, B Monaghan, C Browning, L French, G Wheeler, I Turner, P Daniel, B Clarkson and H LeBlanc.

Gorge Rovers—T Muir, D Clarke, R MacMichael, G Hawkin, W Scott, Alex Lister, J Waterston, D Paulthorpe, H Simpson, M Wharfe, Alan Lister, R Alcock, R Henshall and H Eden.

TWO GAMES TODAY

While the provincial play-offs slated this week local clubs will play today to keep in shape for the cup finals with Vancouver clubs.

St Louis College second division team, and Gorge Aces, third division eleven, will meet at Heywood Avenue in a semi final of the local knockout cup series. The match is slated for 2:30 o'clock with Harry Holness as referee.

Young's Shamrocks, first division champions, will oppose Arts Shamrocks, second division squad, in an exhibition fixture at Bullen Park. A V Pearce will referee. The game is billed for 2:30 o'clock.

Gorge Aces line-up follows: Down, Phelps, Somnor, Drurie, Wallis, Leiper, Scott, MacArthur, Eade, Morley, Crawford and Der.

POSSIBLY

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FELLER REGISTERS FIRST VICTORY OF SEASON

Youngster Turns Back Detroit, 2-1 In American Loop

Cleveland Ace Comes Through After Slowly Played Game—Yanks' Artillery Goes Into Action in Tenth for Victory—Red Sox Still Unbeaten—Cincy Reds Finally Triumph

By The Canadian Press

Spending all available time at the job Bob Feller of the Cleveland Indians mastered the Detroit Tigers yesterday 2-1 to tack up his first victory of the young season even though his swift one seemed slowed down.

A slim Saturday crowd of 15,000 sat through a humid afternoon to watch Feller and Sophomore Johnny Gorsica of the Tigers toil two hours and forty minutes in a duel that looked like it might go around the clock.

It was left to the veteran Gerry Walker former fun-loving darling of the Tigers to break it up in the eighth with his second triple of the battle, a blast to deep centre with two men on.

The New York Yankees' heavy artillery rumbled into action in the tenth inning, banging out a triple, single and home run that brought a 5-2 decision over the Senators.

For the first nine innings Ernie Bonham and Dutch Leonard each pitched seven-hit ball. But Phil Rizzuto led off the tenth for the New Yorkers with the deciding run by slashing a single to right and, after Henrich's sacrifice had shoved Rolfe along, Joe DiMaggio proved that bit of work unnecessary by belting his second homer of the year over the left-field wall.

The Boston Red Sox power at the plate and the Athletics' miscues afield gave the Red Sox a 7-2 verdict and a sweep of their two-game series before 8,604 fans. It was Boston's fourth straight victory.

DODGERS WIN PAIR

The Dodgers continued to find the Bees' pitching to their taste and the Bees hitters baffled by the Brooklyn brand of hurling.

Home runs by Peewee Reese and Ducky Medwick and Luke Hamlin's five-hit pitching gave Brooklyn an 8-0 victory in the morning part of a Patriots' Day double-header, and Whitlow Wyatt turned in a three-hit job for another 8-0 triumph in the afternoon.

Wyatt had a one-hitter going into the eighth, when Millar and Dahlgren singled with one out. West, pinch-hitter, walked to fill the bases, but Wyatt preserved his shutout by getting Buddy Hassett, another pinch-hitter, to ground into a double play. A crowd of 17,038 saw the afternoon game.

The World Champion Cincinnati Reds, beaten their first four times out this season, crashed into the win column with an eighth-inning rally that scored three runs—enough to nose out the Pittsburgh Pirates, 5-3.

Until the big eighth, when Red bats exploded with five straight singles, it was a pitcher's battle between two big right-handers, Paul Derringer for the champions, and Russ Bauers for the Pirates.

The New York Giants ran their winning streak to five straight as Hal Schumacher pitched a five-hit shutout and Babe Young and Harry Danning belted homers to give the Terryman a 7-0 decision over the Phillies.

AMERICAN LEAGUE

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Cleveland	000 000 020—2	8	0
Detroit	000 000 010—1	8	0

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		R.	H.	E.
New York	020 000 000 3—5	11	3
Washington	110 000 000 0—2	7	1

Batteries—Bonham and Dickey; Leonard and Early.

		R.	H.	E.
Boston	211 300 000—7	11	1
Philadelphia	100 001 000—2	8	4

Batteries—Dickman and Peacock; Beckman, Ferrick, Harris and Hayes.

NATIONAL LEAGUE

First Game—

		R	H	E
Brooklyn	210 100 310—8	12	0
Boston	000 000 000—0	5	1

Batteries—Hamlin and Phelps; Erickson, Sullivan and Berres, Masi.

Second Game—

		R.	H.	E.
Brooklyn	100 000 430—8	9	2
Boston	000 000 000—0	3	1

Batteries—Wyatt and Owen; Barnicle, Carnett, Earley and Berres, Masi.

		R.	H.	E.
Cincinnati	000 200 030—5	13	0
Pittsburgh	010 001 001—3	8	2

Batteries—Derringer and West; Bauers, Brown and Lopez.

		R.	H.	E.
Philadelphia	000 000 000—0	5	3
New York	300 000 40x—7	11	0

Batteries—Hughes, Bruner and Warren; Schumacher and Danning.

POSTPONEMENTS

American—St. Louis at Chicago, postponed, rain.

National—Chicago at St. Louis, postponed, rain.

Boston Ball Club To Be Sold, Says Team's President

BOSTON, April 19 (AP)—President Bob Quinn of Boston Bees, said today there is a possibility the big league baseball club would be sold to a newly-formed syndicate, including three New England contractors and a New York manufacturer. He said he had no idea when the deal might be consummated.

Members of the syndicate were identified as Max Meyer, Brooklyn pearl manufacturer, and three Massachusetts contractors, Guido Rugo, of Milton, C. Joseph Maney of Somerville, and Louis Perini, of Framingham.

Quinn would remain as active head of the club with Casey Stengel a member of the syndicate as manager.

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Members of Army Soccer Champions

Canadian troops training in England have taken up soccer to while away some of their recreational time. A cheerful quintette of the Ammunition Company soccer team after winning the First Division Spring championship is shown above. From left to right they are: Pte. J. Cuthbertson, Calgary, team captain, holding the championship plaque; Capt. George Weir, Calgary, only officer on the team; Pte. Ronny Jones, Nacmine, Alta., who scored two goals; Pte. Bobby Kirk, Edmonton, who scored the third, and Lieut. B. L. Pryce, Edmonton, sports officer.

LES PAWSON LEADS FIELD

Captures Boston Marathon Race to Register His Third Victory

BOSTON, April 19 (AP)—Thirty-six-year-old Leslie Pawson of Pawtucket, R.I., won the forty-fifth annual B.A.A. marathon today, sprinting across the finish line of the twenty-six-mile 385-yard grind to become the second man in the history of the race to mark up three victories.

Pawson's time was 2.30.38, about two minutes behind the record set last year by Gerard Cote of St. Hyacinthe, Que.

Johnny Kelley, thirty-three, Arlington, Mass., was second after running neck and neck with the winner over much of the course under a hot and wilting sun. He was timed in 2.31.28, duplicating his runner-up performance of 1940.

The leaders were blocks ahead of the rest of the original field of 124 who plodded along before 800,000 spectators. Don Heinicke, of Baltimore, captured third place and Cote finished fourth in 2.37.59.

In duplicating his winning races of 1933 and 1938 Pawson became the first man ever to approach the seven victories of Clarence Demar, fifty-four-year-old printer, who was far back in today's race.

BOWLING

ARCADE BOWLING ALLEYS

COMMERCIAL TENPIN LEAGUE

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SENIOR FIVEPIN LEAGUE

[illegible]

WOMEN'S TENPIN LEAGUE

[illegible]

OLYMPIC ALLEYS

MILITARY FIVEPIN LEAGUE

R.C.C.S. "C"—Lawson, [illegible]

[illegible]

R.C.C.S. B—C. J. Sharp 427, Acton 503, Ross 520, Buchanan 467, Yelland 467. Total 2,368.
R.C.C.S. B won two.

R.C.A.P.C. No. 3—H. E. Whale 434, [illegible] George 464, C. Cousins 361, [illegible] 406, [illegible] low score 433. Total 2,360.

R.C.C.S. "O"—[illegible] 421, F. Crowe 321, F. A. Shields 503, J. Bridges 341. Total 2,031.
R.C.C.S. "D" won three.

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CIVIL SERVICE LEAGUE

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BAY MEADOWS RACING

BAY MEADOWS, April 19.—Results here today follow:

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OVERNIGHT ENTRIES

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Weather clear; track fast.

PAT HALEY WINS TRIO OF EVENTS

PULLMAN, Wash., April 19 (AP)—Pat Haley, sensational sophomore sprinter from Trail, B.C., scored three firsts for Washington State College with easy victories in the 100 and 220-yard dashes and the low hurdles in a track meet here today with University of Idaho.

Haley won the 100-yard dash in 9.7, the 220 in 22.1 and the 220 low hurdles in 24.3. It was his first appearance for the college.

Washington won the meet 91 to 40 though Phil Leibowitz, of Idaho, tied a Pacific Coast Conference Northern Division record of 4.12.2 for the mile, and set a new Idaho standard of 1.52.3 in the 880.

Simpson Grads Capture First of Eastern Basketball Series

TORONTO, April 19 (CP)—Unleashing a furious opening offensive that sent them into a commanding lead, Simpson Grads of Toronto coasted to a 39-27 victory over Montreal Rocklands in the first game of their best-of-three Eastern Canadian senior basketball final series here tonight.

Unable to check the fast-breaking Toronto players, who stormed the Montreal basket to take a eleven-point lead in the first five minutes, Rocklands closed the lead to five points by the end of the first half and Toronto went into the last half leading 18-13.

Shag Park led the Toronto attack with twelve points and was followed for scoring honors by Abe Ditkosfsky, of Rockland, and his teammates, Bill Breadon and Harold Axon, with eight.

Second game of the series will be played here Monday night, and the third, if needed, Tuesday. The winner will travel to Vancouver to meet the Western champions there late this month.

Anglers Offered The Opportunity To Aid Red Cross

IT is not often that the sportsman is offered the opportunity to indulge in his favorite pastime and at the same time aid a vital public cause. But this is possible through arrangements just completed by A. H. Pease and the staff of the Red Cross Superfluities Store. Fishermen in Brentwood, when the run is good, often take far more than they are able to use themselves, with the result that fish are wasted. It is now possible for these to be left with the Red Cross store on Sunday evenings, where facilities are provided and from where they will be sold for the benefit of the fund. All that is necessary is for the fisherman to take a sack with him and to cover the catch with it, wet, in order to keep the fish in prime condition until the evening when they will be put on ice at the store.

NEW PITCHER FOR THE CAPS

Bob Brown Gets Joe Weir From Eastern League—Cailteux Injured

VANCOUVER, April 19 (CP)—Bob Brown, owner of Vancouver Capilanos of the Western International Baseball League, said today that the latest import for his Cap's is Joe Weir from Centreville in the Eastern Shore League.

Weir is a right-hand pitcher and is the property of Boston. In 1939-40 season he won nineteen games and lost only five for Centreville. Last year he had the exceptionally low earned-run average of 2.68 a game and struck out 125 men in twenty games.

The Caps are overrun with pitchers and Weir's arrival brought the total to ten, but they will be weeded out prior to the start of regular season play.

Injuries have already invaded the Vancouver club and Manager Don Osborn is at present confronted with the problem of filling the second-base spot made vacant when Al Cailteux injured his instep in batting practice. His ankle went into a cast yesterday after a doctor's examination revealed a broken bone. The smooth second-sacker will be out of action for at least a month.

BOXLA SCHEDULE WILL START SOON

VANCOUVER, April 19 (CP)—The 1941 inter-city box lacrosse season will open here with a match between the defending champion Vancouver Burrards and Richmond Farmers Friday, May 9.

The New Westminster opening will take place the following Monday, May 12, between the perennial Royal City rivals, Adanacs and Salmonbellies.

Lindsay Is After Fight With Salica To Decide Matters

Popular Vancouver Boxer, Claimant to World's Bantam Crown, Wants to Meet Mike Jacobs' Titleholder to Clear Up Situation—Says He Will Beat Olivera Again

By HERBERT L. JONES
(Canadian Press Staff Writer)

VANCOUVER, April 19 (CP)—Vancouver's Kenny Lindsay, a curly-haired belter with Irish blood in his veins and dynamite in his fists, has emerged somewhere near the top of the bantamweight heap after four years of ring warfare to find himself faced with a new kind of battle—an argument over his exact standing.

Kenny claims he's now holder of the California-New York-recognized world bantam crown by right of his ten-round decision over Tony Olivera, of San Francisco, here last Tuesday night. He says even Olivera agrees to that. But the office of Promoter Mike Jacobs in New York says that Lou Salica is the bantam champ.

But Kenny refuses to worry about it. He's slated to meet Olivera in a return bout in Oakland around the end of this month—"and I'll beat him again, too," he predicts. After that, he says, probably the best solution would be "a shot at this guy Salica."

In any event he's leaving it all up to his genial manager, Arnold Bertram of Vancouver. Bertram has handled Lindsay since one day back in 1937 when a sixteen-year-old amateur, barely able to make the flyweight poundage, appeared in his office and said "I want to be a fighter."

Lindsay has come a long way on the fistic trail since then.

IMPORTANT VICTORY

He cleaned up the British Columbia amateur flyweight titles and the Northwest Golden Gloves events in that class for the next three years. Then in 1940 he scored probably his greatest triumph as a flyweight by battling his way to the national flyweight crown against the best United States amateurs in the Diamond Belt finals at San Francisco.

He was the only Canadian in the finals that year and his triumph brought him such recognition here that he turned professional shortly after as a bantamweight.

Then came a professional tour which speaks for itself. In eight bouts with top-notch United States bantamweights in California last year Lindsay won four—three by knockouts—drew three and lost one—the latter to Tony Olivera.

Now at nineteen and scaling 118 the diminutive Edmonton-born battler—he's only five feet four inches—is still unscarred. But he's warned Bertram he'll quit if he ever gets hurt, "because your health is more important than anything else."

Lindsay says he's never been scared in the ring—"I guess [illegible] the Irish in me." Thinks Joe Louis is a great fighter but believes Vancouver's only ring champ, Jimmy McLarnin, was tops.

"I'd like to get where Jimmy once was (welterweight champion) but I don't think I could ever make the weight," Lindsay said. "However, I'll probably go on up into the lightweight class."

Bertram and a lot of other ring experts believe young Lindsay already is well on his way to becoming another McLarnin.

If the argument over the world bantam title goes against the little grey-eyed battler both he and Bertram are confident he'll eventually annex it anyway to become the first Vancouver world champ in fistiana since the days of McLarnin.

TITLE BOUTS TO BE HELD

Dominion Boxing Championships to be Staged on The Mainland

VANCOUVER, April 19 (CP)—Most of British Columbia's top-notch fighters and an assortment of leather pushers from other parts of the Dominion, will be out to snag themselves a title or two when national boxing championships are decided here a week from now, on April 25 and 26.

Regina and Winnipeg will be represented in the title bouts according to Eric Martin, chairman of the entry committee, who hopes other parts of the wheat country will file entries before the closing date at noon Monday.

A majority of British Columbia's champions in eight different weight classes, headed by Victoria's Jack Patterson, Sun Golden Gloves heavyweight champion and Vancouver's Buddy Walsh, former Pacific Northwest Golden Gloves bantam champ, will provide plenty of opposition.

From Regina will come Carl Warwick, of that city's Olympic Club, while Winnipeg will be represented by Seanian Wells, a lightweight, who is now in the navy at Esquimalt. Another Saskatchewan fighter who has sent along an entry is Jack Siemes, a featherweight, but he didn't say from what part of the province he hailed.

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DOCKERS BEAT THISTLES IN CUP SOCCER MATCH

Come From Behind To Chalk Up Fine Win Over Saanich

John Watt and "Scotty" Stewart Share Scoring Honors in Esquimalt's 5-2 Triumph in Semi-Final of Jackson Cup Soccer Series—Will Meet Victoria United on Saturday

Rallying in the final canto after being on the short end of a 2-1 score at the breather, Manager "Jock" McColl's Esquimalt footballers yesterday came from behind to defeat the Saanich Thistles, 5-2 in the Jackson Cup semi-final played at Royal Athletic Park. About 300 fans witnessed the club in action.

Two veteran performers John Watt and "Scotty" Stewart shared the scoring honors for the Dockers firing home three and two goals respectively. In the suburbanites camp it was seventeen-year-old Andy Anderson, former Fairbridge Farm School boy, who registered the two tallies.

Final in the series will be played Saturday at Royal Athletic Park with Victoria United opposing the Dockers. The match should be one of the best of the local season's play and a fitting finale for the local soccer series. Kick-off will be at 2.30 o'clock and in the event of a draw overtime will be played.

Playing their best football in the opening stanza and refusing to give the Esquimalt lads a chance of really getting set Saanich Thistles certainly had an edge in the early play. They forced the issue from the first kick-off and gave the Dockers defence plenty of work.

STEWART SCORES

However decidedly against the trend of the play, Esquimalt managed to register the first marker of the match. Breaking fast following a short, sustained attack on their own citadel Esquimalt scored when "Scotty" Stewart took John Watt's pass and rifled a first-timer past Goalie Saunders in the opposing net. It was a beautiful finish to a cleverly-executed play by the Dockers front line.

Saanich came right back from the kick off and quickly knotted the score. Andy Anderson brilliant forward trapped a bouncing ball on his right foot and then smashed the leather to the far corner of the net well out of reach of Louis DeCosta Esquimalt net custodian. It was one of the best goals of the season at Royal Athletic Park.

Pepped up by the tally the suburbanites took the lead for the first time about fifteen minutes before the interval. With the Esquimalt defence meeting with some trouble in clearing Andy Anderson picked off a loose ball and drove for the goal the ball glancing off Stofer's head and into the net.

Jack Edwards Esquimalt halfback sustained a painful cut over his right eye at this stage and left the field. He returned a few minutes later after receiving first-aid treatment.

Just prior to the half-time interval "Scotty" Stewart missed a grand chance of tying the score when he lifted the ball over the framework with the goal at his mercy.

Esquimalt looked much better after the change-over and now the pressure was on the Saanich backs. Dockers knotted the score quite early when John Watt took Earl Barnswell's cross and drove the ball past Goalie Saunders. Thistles perked up for a few minutes and at the other end of the field Joe Robbins tested DeCosta with a wicked shot.

DOCKERS TAKE LEAD

Play soon returned to the Thistles end of the field where a penalty was whistled against Underwood, full-back for hands. John Watt took the spot kick and made no mistake giving the eventual winners the lead for the first time.

There was little left of the Saanich fire following the penalty which they objected to and Esquimalt gradually dominated the play. "Scotty" Stewart made it 4-2 when his first-timer grazed the far upright and the ball bounced into the goal. John Watt completed the scoring for the day three minutes before full time to give Esquimalt a 5-2 triumph and the right to meet Victoria United in the final.

Dave McMillan refereed and the teams were:

Esquimalt—L. DeCosta, R. Stofer, F. Mills, C. Holt, R. McColl, J. Edwards, E. Barnswell, "Scotty" Stewart, J. Watt, C. Harbinson and Bud Sandland.

Saanich Thistles—Saunders, Dougan, M. Speller, L. Speller, Fieldhouse, W. Hobbins, J. Robbins, McDonald, Anderson, Minnis, T. Peer, Holness and Underwood.

Local Sport Personalities

Cocker Spaniel Is Judged Best in Dog Show Held in City

Arline Swalwell's Windridge Wintertime Takes Top Honors at Championship Event Staged at Willows—Over 130 Canines Entered

A friendly flop-eared little cocker spaniel of less than a year old, Windridge Wintertime, belonging to Arline Swalwell, Everett, Wash., took top honors as best in show at the first of the year's point dog shows, held by the Victoria City Kennel Club, at the Willows last night.

Taking the highest award in a field of over 130 entries, the cocker pup also won the best puppy and the best sporting classes in the trials, after lengthy deliberation by Judge H. H. Allen, Winnipeg, Man.

Reserve best in show award went to a prick-eared Doberman Pinscher, Duke Von Alvestor, owned by Robert Waters, Vancouver, B.C., whose alertness and general conformity won him the prize as best Canadian bred in show and as the best working dog in the show.

Milesleigh Little Man, a Pomeranian owned by Mrs. E. Bradley, Vancouver, placed first in the novice classes in the event, while a shaggy Afghan hound, Kerrin Fachamur, owned by Mrs. Lillian Miller, Seattle, took the judges' eye for best sporting hound of the animals shown.

Glenalter Fashion Plate, a dapper and gentlemanly little coal-black Scotch terrier, owned by the Carnation Farms, at Carnation, Wash., took the award for best terrier in the trial.

SPECIAL AWARDS

Other special awards in the show included: Best Toy Puppy, Pomeranian Paddy's Judy Girl, belonging to Mrs. Darrioch, Victoria.

Best Non-Sporting Puppy, Boston Terrier, Jingo, owned by W. E. Fletcher, Victoria.

Best Working Puppy—Doberman Pinscher, Arno of Buccleuch, owned by Dr. R. D. Thompson, Victoria.

Best Terrier Puppy, Scotch Terrier, Heatherbelle Bluebell's Sally, owned by Mr. H. W. Melish.

Best Sporting Puppy, Cocker Spaniel, Windridge Wintertime, owned by Arline Swalwell, Everett, Wash.

Best Toy—Pomeranian, Milesleigh Tangerine Girl, owned by Mrs. E. Bradley, Vancouver.

Best Non-Sporting, Poodle, Estid Elan, owned by Arline Swalwell, Wash.

Pomeranians

Canadian-bred dog, senior puppy, bitch and reserve: 1, Mrs. Darrioch.

Best of winners, novice, winners dog, Canadian bred and best of breed: Mrs. E. Bradley, Milesleigh Tangerine Girl.

NON-SPORTING GROUP

Junior puppy dog and novice dog: 1, W. E. Fletcher, Jingo.

Winners dog, reserve, senior puppy dog, novice and open dog: 1, Mrs. Walter D. Long, American champion Long Brat.

Canadian-bred ... under ... pounds, winner bitch ... P. J. Brennan, Mountview Beautiful Rio.

Best of winners, best of breed: Mrs. Walter D. Long, American champion Long's Brat.

Chow Chows

1, Mrs. Bobbie Makorski, Yse Ping won all awards.

Dalmatians

1, F. J. Chockley, Four-in-Hand Rufrans Curious won all awards.

Poodle (Standard)

1, Arline Swalwell, Estid Elan won all awards.

English Bulldogs

Open dog and winners dog: 1, D. G. Miller, Cadboro Challenger.

Canadian-bred bitch, winners bitch, best of winners and best of breed: Mr. and Mrs. Johnson, Miracle's Marvelous.

WORKING GROUP

Doberman Pinschers

Senior puppy and novice dog: Dr. R. D. Thompson, Arno of Buccleuch.

Canadian-bred dog, limit dog, winners dog and best of breed: 1, Robert Waters, Duke von Alvestor.

Open and reserve dog: 1, R. H. Hatfield, Carol V. Weiss.

Open and winners bitch: Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Swayne, Sorma von Oxbo.

Reserve and novice bitch—Constable P. Clark, Dula of Buccleuch.

Cairn Terriers

Senior puppy dog: Jack Robertson, Matchmaker of Melita.

Canadian-bred dog: 1, Mrs. Meade, Mr. Wicks.

Open and winners dog, best of winners and best of breed—Mrs. L. M. Wood.

Senior puppy bitch and limit dog: Mrs. May K. Aitken.

Dandie Dinmonts

Mrs. A. K. Hedley-Peek won all awards.

Fox Terriers (Smooth)

Senior puppy dog and reserve: 1, Ward de Vere Hunt, Doctor Colaito.

Best of breed and all other awards—Mrs. M. Consantine.

Fox Terriers (Wire)

Winner bitch, senior puppy dog, reserve and senior puppy bitch: Mr. Ma... Eckersley.

Best of winners, best of breed, winners dog and open dog: W. D. O'Lear.

Irish Terriers

Novice dog, winners dog: Dr. T. R. R. Hoggan, Harwood Fore-a-Bailey.

Open bitch, winners bitch and best of winners and best of breed: F. P. Hixon.

Best of winners and best of breed: Thomas Waters, Ennistymon Mickey Rooney.

Kerry Blue Terriers

Open dog, winners dog and best of breed: 1, Mrs. D. S. MacNabe, Barney Boy of Tralee.

Open bitch and winners' bitch: Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Wilkins, Fox Hill Enchantment.

Scottish Terriers

Canadian-bred dog: ... A. C. Badgett, ... Mac...

Limit dog: ... Mrs. ... Saanichea Angus.

Senior puppy bitch, ... Canadian-bred bitch, limit bitch, open bitch, winners bitch and reserve: Mrs. H. W. Melish, Heatherbelle Bluebell's Sally.

Best of winners, best of breed: Carnation Farm Kennels, Glenalter Fashion Plate.

Sealyham Terriers

Mrs. E. I. Fraser, Domino Lass won all awards.

West Highland White Terriers

Limit dog: F. Dodsworth, Highland Ian. Best of winners and best of breed and all other awards: Rosamond Biller.

SPORTING GROUP (HOUNDS)

Afghan Hounds: Best of breed and winners dog, Mrs. Lillian Miller, Kerrin Fachamur.

Dachshunde (Smooth): Best of winners and best of breed, Mrs. A. K. Hedley-Peek, Widbrook Will.

Dachshunde, Wire — Reserve, Mrs. O. Phillipowski, Locan of Tynewald. Best of breed and winners dog, Mrs. C. L. Tyrwhitt Drake, Wirst of Kilkee.

Dachshunde (Long-Haired): Winners dog, Mrs. A. K. Hedley-Peek, Stropp of Wyndemere, won all awards.

English Cocker Spaniel, Solid: Alan L. Anderson, Garforth Dawn, won all awards.

English Cocker Spaniel, Parti: Reserve, Mrs. May K. Aitken, Jill of Colwyn. Best of winners, parti winners dog, winners bitch: A. S. and Mrs. Dainard, Alberstanlady Bess. Best of breed: Mrs. J. F. O. Wood, Ch. Alberstan Silver Glow.

Cocker Spaniels (Solid)—Winner bitch and reserve: Mrs. C. A. McGee, Holdfast Surprise. Best of winners (solid): Mr. C. M. Butler, Holdfast Black Knight.

Cocker Spaniels (Part): Winners dog, Arline Swalwell, Windridge Wintertime, won all awards.

English Setter: Winners dog, Mr. J. R. Clark, Jay R... Winner ... reserve best of winners and best of breed, Mrs. F. W. MacKay, Ain ... Merines Precious Jewel.

Irish Setters—Reserve, Mr. E. W. ..., Rouge of Sunnyside ... Best of breed and winners dog, Mr. H. C. Byron, Mason Shane O'Colwood.

English Springer Spaniel, Reserve: Cadet ... P. Lipman, Am. Ch. Gordwin Buccaneer. Winners bitch, Reginald Clark, Lucky Girl. Best of winners, winner dog and best of breed, Ralph Loughheed, Loughheed's Mickey Finn.

Retriever, Labrador: Harry Kolthammer, Capilano Clipper, won all awards.

Pointers: Winners dog, Mr. Homer Caviness, Barry's Monty Marlone. Best of winners and best of breed, Mr. F. N. Mackay, Tylers Showfield Sparkle.

German Shepherds: Winners bitch, Mr. E. I. Fraser, Vaughn. Best of winner, winner dog and best of breed, Mr. I. Zingler, Othello of Black Forest.

Collie, Rough — Reserve, Mr. James Galloway, Glenarton Silver Lining. Best of breed and winners bitch, Mrs. Lillian Miller, Ch. Elmhill Elegance II.

Shetland Sheep Dog: Mrs. Sadie Mager, ... Frankie, won all awards.

RAINBOW RIFLE CLUB

The Rainbow Rifle Club held its weekly shoot on Saturday. The results out of a possible 100 were as follows:

A Class: P. Mackenzie, 97; W. Dunan, 97; R. Ferguson, 96; G. Calnow, 95; I. Burch, 94.

B Class: A. Roberts, 94.

SOFTBALL ENTRIES

Entries for all divisions of the Lower Island Softball Association will close on Monday, April 28, and should be filed with Alf Longe, secretary, or Ernie Stocks, president.

BASEBALL STANDINGS

AMERICAN LEAGUE

	W	L	Pc
[illegible]	4	0	1.000
Cleveland	[illegible]	2	600
New York	[illegible]	3	[illegible]
Chicago	[illegible]	2	[illegible]
St. Louis	[illegible]	[illegible]	500
Philadelphia	2	3	400
Detroit	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Washington	[illegible]	4	200

NATIONAL LEAGUE

	W	L	Pct
New York	5	0	1.000
St. Louis	3	1	750
Chicago	[illegible]	[illegible]	667
Brooklyn	3	3	500
Pittsburgh	[illegible]	2	[illegible]
Boston	[illegible]	4	[illegible]
Philadelphia	[illegible]	4	200
Cincinnati	[illegible]	4	200

COAST LEAGUE

	W	L	Pc
Sacramento	11	3	786
Seattle	9	4	692
San Diego	9	4	692
Oakland	[illegible]	7	500
Hollywood	6	[illegible]	462
Los Angeles	4	8	333
San Francisco	4	[illegible]	[illegible]
Portland	[illegible]	10	[illegible]

CARPET BOWLING

The annual carpet bowling tournament of the Capital City and District Carpet Bowling League came to a close Friday night at the A.O.F. Hall. Results of final matches played were as follows:

MEN'S SINGLES

D. Peirce 21, T. Bridges 19.

MIXED DOUBLES

D. Peirce and Mr. Leiper 22, T. Bridges and Mrs. McFadden 9.

MEN'S TRIPLES

D. Peirce, A. Mansell and A. Evans 17, T. Bridges, W. Twamley and J. Brookes 16.

MIXED TRIPLES

D. Drummond, Mrs. McFadden and J. Wilmhurst 22, W. F. Bridge, Mrs. McMillan and C. Hutchison 18.

A meeting of the executive committee will be held at the A.O.F. Hall on Monday evening to make arrangements for the annual social and presentation of prizes.

TENNIS MEETING

The annual meeting of the Langford Lawn Tennis Club will be held on Tuesday evening at 8 o'clock at the home of Lieutenant and Mrs. E. F. LesQuesne, Millstream Road.

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At the Theatres

Latest of Hardy Family Movies Now at Capitol

If you want to go back and enjoy once again the thrill of youth, don't miss "Andy Hardy's Private Secretary," latest of the Hardy Family series, which is now showing at the Capitol Theatre.

[illegible] greatest of the group, this new picture deals with the problems of Andy as a high school senior and places him in positions where frequent "man to man" huddles with his father are necessary. It has adventures for its interwoven drama, comedy and romance, and is definitely a "must see" for the entire family.

Never has Mickey Rooney given a more sincere or understanding interpretation of young Andy. A high point in his performance is the speech, given before his classmates, when he discovers that he alone, out of the entire class, has failed to pass the final examinations.

A surprise element in this edition [illegible] form of two youngsters, newcomers to the screen. The first is Kathryn Grayson, seventeen-year-old coloratura soprano who makes her screen debut as Andy's secretary. Miss Grayson is the possessor of a great singing voice and contributes more than her share of acting ability. That she will be an important screen personality during 1941 is a prediction that has every chance of coming true.

GLORIA JEAN IS STAR OF PICTURE

Young Singer Comes to Cadet Theatre Tomorrow in "A Little Bit of Heaven"

Patterned along the same lines as "The Under-Pup," a pattern which proved a hit and established Gloria Jean as a star, Universal's "A Little Bit of Heaven" will come to the Cadet Theatre Monday.

Story of the new picture, another potential hit from the producer of eight straight Deanna Durbin successes as well as "The Under-Pup," presents Gloria as an East Side girl who becomes a radio singing star. Her rise to fame causes family troubles, solved only after Gloria "loses" her voice and temporarily relinquishes her career.

Eight famous ex-stars of the screen are also cast as Gloria's "uncles." The list includes Charles Ray, Maurice Costello, Monte Blue, Kenneth Harlan, Noah Beery, Pat O'Malley, William Desmond and Fred Kelsey.

AMUSEMENTS

On the Screen

Atlas — Betty Davis in "The Letter."

Cadet — "A Little Bit of Heaven," with Gloria Jean.

Capitol — Mickey Rooney in "Andy Hardy's Private Secretary."

Dominion—"The Long Voyage Home," with Thomas Mitchell.

Oak Bay— Arise, My Love," with Claudette Colbert.

Plaza—George Formby in "I See Ice."

Rio—"A Child Is Born," starring Geraldine Fitzgerald.

York — Rosalind Russell in "Fast and Loose."

TOMORROW! PLAZA
George FORMBY IN HIS FUNNIEST PICTURE "I SEE ICE"
with a brilliant cast featuring KAY WALSH · BETTY STOCKFELD
Hear George Sing: "IN MY LITTLE SNAP-SHOT ALBUM"—"NOUGHTS AND CROSSES"—"MOTHER, WHAT'LL I DO NOW?"
A SCREAM . . . ON SKATES! The Lancashire lad's hilarious adventures as a hockey "star" will have you roaring with laughter! . . . A streamlined comedy-romance that sets a new high record for fun in the Formby manner!

English Comedian Comes To Plaza in "I See Ice"

George Formby cannot go wrong as far as Formby fans are concerned, but "I See Ice," his latest picture, opening Monday at the Plaza Theatre, has a lot more than Formby grin, his singing banjolele strumming and his ability to look gormless and get into trouble.

Not that this is not sufficient to make the laughs come louder and more often than in the usual British comedy, but merely to remark that the chosen background of this picture is perhaps the best to date for the Lancashire favorite.

With this introduction we recommend to you the [illegible] of George in the story of [illegible] the photographer with a camera concealed in his bow tie, who reaches London [illegible] mistake for Birmingham, and blunders to success by taking pictures which have to be destroyed and others which have to be published.

He has a talented and attractive conspirator in Kay Walsh, and is supported efficiently by Betty Stockfeld, Garry Marsh and Cyril Richard.

There is a real flair in the direction of Anthony Kimmins, who is also part author of the story.

FILM PORTRAYS MOTHERS' LIVES

"A Child Is Born" Appearing at the Rio Tomorrow Is Real Life Story

"A Child Is Born," opening at the Rio Theatre Monday, based on the novel by Mary McDougal Axelson, is set in the maternity ward of a great city hospital, and has for its theme the eternal drama, pathos and joy of women's greatest adventure—motherhood. Into the ward come the expectant mothers, each with their secret hopes and fears, and all united by the bonds of their common experience.

There is a convicted murdress released from prison only long enough to bear the child; there is a vaudeville actress who fears that having a baby will spoil her figure; an eighteen-year-old girl coming to her first grips with life; a perennial mother serenely awaiting her eighth baby. "A Child Is Born" is the story of them all and of the anxious husbands who haunt the hospital waiting [illegible].

Others in the cast include Spring Byington, Gloria Holden, Nanette Fabares, Johnnie Davis, Jean Sharon, Henry O'Neill, John Litel, Johnny Downs, Eve Arden, Hobart Cavanaugh and many more. Lloyd Bacon directed from a screen play by Robert Rossen, based on Mrs. Axelson's novel.

Principals in Screen Version at York

Robert Montgomery and Rosalind Russell in "Fast and Loose," showing at the York Theatre tomorrow

TRAMP STEAMER SUNK

OSLO, Norway (via Berlin), April 18 (AP)—The Norwegian tramp steamship Frode, 697 tons, was reported yesterday to have been sunk by war action in the North Atlantic. The fate of her fourteen crewmen was unknown.

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ATLAS
SAVE WITH THRIFTICKETS!

MONTGOMERY IN DETECTIVE ROLE

Opening Tomorrow at the York Is The Feature "Fast and Loose" With Star Cast

Robert Montgomery plays a detective for the first time in "Fast and Loose," opening Monday at the York Theatre, but he is a unique kind of detective.

Montgomery portrays a book dealer who deals chiefly in amateur sleuthing, assisted by his wife, Rosalind Russell. Although a deep-dyed mystery, "Fast and Loose" teems with comedy that races to a mad unusual climax.

In the new picture Montgomery and Miss Russell make their debut as a comedy starring team comparable to William Powell and Myrna Loy in the "Thin Man" series.

The two stars first appeared together in "Trouble for Two," a serious drama. Next came the deeply dramatic subject, "Night Must Fall," followed by the romantic "Live, Love and Learn."

Edwin L. Marin directed, and the cast includes Reginald Owen, Ralph Morgan, Etienne Girardot, Alan Dinehart, Jo Ann Sayers and Joan Marsh.

RIO STARTS MONDAY FOR THREE DAYS
AS THRILLING AS THE CRY OF A NEWBORN BABE!
"A Child Is Born"
"My baby will grow up without a mother's care!"
"Will my husband come back . . . when I have my baby?"
"It's my eighth. I hope it's a boy this time!"
"Havin' a kid'll ruin my career . . . and my figure!"
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• EXTRA NEWS

Thrilling Sea Picture Showing at Dominion

Against the highly-dramatic and emotionally stirring story of men who dare the perils of sea and sky, Walter Wanger's new screen presentation, "The Long Voyage Home," is now showing at the Dominion Theatre.

Based on the famous sea plays of Eugene O'Neill, America's greatest playwright, it is John Ford's first Argosy production and was filmed from a brilliant screen play by Dudley Nichols.

The hand-picked cast of this thrilling and suspenseful film is headed by such distinguished performers as John Wayne, Thomas Mitchell and Ian Hunter and includes Barry Fitzgerald, Wilfred Lawson, John Qualen, Carmen Morales, Arthur Shields, J. M. Kerrigan and Mildred Natwick.

Four of O'Neill's immortal one-act nautical plays, "The Moon of the Caribbees," "Bound East for Cardiff," "In the Zone" and "The Long Voyage Home," were combined to form one tightly-knit story of the experiences of the crew of an ammunition-laden tramp steamer, the SS Glencairn, in the war zone.

"The Long Voyage Home" will go into history alongside such other hits as "Stagecoach" and "The Grapes of Wrath" as a credit to its director, John Ford. Dudley Nichols' screen play combined with the superlative photographic work of Gregg Toland and James Basevi's outstanding special effects in the action-packed raging storm sequences make "The Long Voyage Home" an outstanding picture of this or any other year.

Comedian in Hockey Film

George Formby in "I See Ice," Which Opens Tomorrow at the Plaza Theatre

RIOTING IN BOMBAY

AHMEDABAD, India, April 19 (CP)—Five persons were killed and sixty injured in Hindu-Moslem rioting which followed a wave of incendiarism and looting in Bombay Province. Troops were called out to quell the disturbances.

To Appear on Capitol Stage on Friday

JULIETTE

LOVELY songstress who will be featured with Dal Richards and his famous Hotel Vancouver Orchestra as a stage attraction at the Capitol Theatre Friday night on the 8:30 show. The band will present their latest musical novelties and dance hits, which have attained great popularity with theatregoers in the many highly successful stage appearances already made by this versatile combination of young musicians. In addition to Juliette there will be starred Frank Lynn, lyrical tenor, and Tommy Mack, novelty trap drummer.

"THE LETTER" IS DRAMATIC STORY

Bette Davis in Stirring Role of Film Version Showing at Atlas Theatre

Coolie boys drowsing in their hammocks start as the crack of a revolver shot splits the still air of the rubber plantation.

A man staggers through the palely piercing moonlight, stumbles down the steps of the plantation house, falls in a shadow.

He is followed by a woman. Blindly, as mechanically as if she were wielding a whip, she pours four more shots into his squirming body.

This is the opening scene of "The Letter," film version of the Somerset Maugham play which will start Monday at the Atlas Theatre. It begins with Bette Davis committing murder.

FELLOW OF HARVARD

VANCOUVER, April 18 (CP)—Benjamin Nelson Moyls, who last year won the Governor-General's Gold Medal at the University of British Columbia, has been awarded a fellowship at Harvard University, Cambridge, Mass.

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20c DAILY 12-1
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Pete Smith's "QUIZ BIZ"
Color Cartoon "ABDUL BULBUL AMEER"
LATEST WORLD NEWS
Capitol BUY "THRIFTICKETS"
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"A LITTLE BIT OF HEAVEN" GLORIA JEAN — ROBERT STACK — BUTCH and BUDDY
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"THE BOYS FROM SYRACUSE" ALLAN JONES — MARTHA RAYE
ADDED: NEWS Starts at 6:30 P.M.

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Are your eggs fresh?

Madam, the hen doesn't realize I've got them yet."

COLBERT-MILLAND STAR IN PICTURE

Romantic Team Appear in Cast Of "Arise, My Love," at Oak Bay Theatre

A cloud-hopping trouble-maker meets a trouble-hunting newspaper girl—and boom!—it's love!

That's how it all starts out between Claudette Colbert and Ray Milland in the scintillating romance "Arise, My Love," which will open [illegible]

When Claudette, the fashion writer, gets a yen to write man-sized stories for Associated News, she just casually snatches an aviator from a Spanish firing squad and flies across the border with him to France. But the girl doesn't count on love, and pretty soon she finds her heart melting under the effects of the Paris moon and Ray Milland's ardent wooing.

"Arise, My Love" is the directorial job of famed Mitchell Leisen, and was produced by Arthur Hornblow. The supporting cast is led off by Walter Abel, with Dick Purcell, Dennis O'Keefe, Esther Dale and George Zucco featured.

SONATA RECITAL WILL BE GIVEN

Mary Munn and Selma Reyes to Appear at Empress Hotel Tomorrow Evening

Mary Munn, blind Canadian pianist, and Selma Reyes, Australian violinist, two young artists well known in Canada, will appear in a duo sonata recital at the Empress Hotel Monday at 8.30 p.m. Each artist has received unstinted praise from the press abroad.

The Daily Telegraph, London: "To Schumann's Sonata in D Minor Miss Munn brought an equally perceptive appreciation of the color and contrast due to music of a romantic cast of thought."

Pesti Hirlap, Budapest: "She played with the greatest technical finish and fine feeling."

Whilst of Selma Reyes the press said:

Morning Post, London: "An expert performance of Enesco's Violin Sonata."

Le Vingtieme Siecle, Brussels: "Vigorously scans the rhythms without sacrificing depth of tone. The bowing is remarkable for its suppleness."

MART KENNEY WILL PLAY HERE MARCH 5

Mart Kenney and his Western Gentlemen will play at the Empress Hotel at the invitation of the Victoria Kinsmen Club, on Monday, May 5.

During the last few years this popular Vancouver maestro has steadily forged to the top, and his orchestra is now known as one of Canada's leading musical organizations. He has been heard on important network programmes and made many recordings.

The band has just completed its Winter season in the East and will play at the Banff Springs Hotel for the Summer. Before accepting this date, however, they will play for their many fans in Victoria.

"Mickey" Gets His Girl

You can't blame a girl for getting jealous when her boy friend gets himself a "private secretary." Mickey Rooney is hard put to explain to Ann Rutherford that its purely a business arrangement in this scene from "Andy Hardy's Private Secretary," which is now showing on the screen of the Capitol Theatre.

BICYCLISTS URGED TO OBSERVE RULES

Chief J. A. McLellan points out that thirteen adult bicycle riders have been fined in the police court so far this month for failing to observe city by-laws, and he asks the question: Are cyclists assuming their fair share of responsibility for safety on the road?

"The time has come," said the chief, "when bicycle riding should be treated as a serious adult traffic problem. Many people do not take the bicycle seriously. They regard it as a child's plaything or as an adult fad left over from a past generation. They do not realize that in the last few years the bicycle has staged a comeback and is today for many adults what it was before the advent of the automobile, a convenient, economical, logical and enjoyable means of transportation.

"The cyclist should understand that his responsibility on the road is in every way equal to that of the motorist. While many cyclists obey the traffic regulations scrupulously, others think that because they can manipulate their machines in a small area they are at liberty to wind in and out of traffic, ignore signs and signals and generally hinder and endanger all other traffic. It too often happens that when a cyclist is injured in an accident it is because he has failed to observe some simple traffic rule.

"Let us try to remedy this," urged the chief, and offers any cyclist who cares to call at the police station a copy of the 1941 traffic safety booklet containing all the bicycle regulations in simple, concise language.

Conservatives to Meet Wednesday

A special general executive meeting of the Provincial Conservative Association will be held next Wednesday night at 8 o'clock at 728 Fort Street, when a report will be given by the president on the Conservative Action Club dinner held recently in Vancouver.

Discussion will also take place concerning plans for a general rally to be held on April 30, when R. L. Maitland, K.C., M.P.P., R. R. Walker, provincial organizer, and other speakers will be present. A full attendance is requested on Wednesday.

CAUSE AND EFFECT

Fat Regimental Cook (to excessively thin Tommy): "Looking at you, you blinking skeleton, anyone would think there had been a famine."

Tommy: "Yes, and one look at you would tell 'em who caused it!"

AROUND the DIAL

TODAY'S HIGHLIGHTS

12.00 noon—Nathan Milstein, violinist, will be guest soloist with the New York Philharmonic Symphony Orchestra. KIRO, KNX.

4.30 p.m.—"Tug" Wilson, British sailor boy of fifteen, who lost his mother a year ago in an air raid and was torpedoed on his first voyage to Canada, will be heard on "Carry on Canada." CBR.

6.00 p.m.—[illegible] star, will appear on the Sunday Evening Hour. KNX, KIRO.

TODAY'S NEWS BROADCASTS

Morning—8.00, CBR, CJOR, CKWX, KOMO, KOL; 8.55, CBR; 10.00, KOL; 10.30, KIRO; 11.27, CBR.

Afternoon—12.15, KOMO, KOL; 12.30, CFCT, CKWX; 2.00, CJOR; 2.15, KIRO; 2.45, CBR, CJOR, CKWX; 3.45, CBR; 4.15, KIRO; 4.30, KJR; 5.45, KOL; 5.55, KIRO.

Evening—6.30, CKWX; 7.00, CBR, CJOR; 7.30, CBR; 8.25, KIRO; 9.00, CJOR, KOL; 9.30, KJR; 10.00, KOMO, KIRO, CKWX; 10.15, CBR, KIRO; 10.30, KOL.

MONDAY RADIO HIGHLIGHTS

9.30 a.m.—The C.B.C.'s school broadcasts for British Columbia will return to the air at this time. CBR.

MONDAY'S NEWS BROADCASTS

Morning—8.00, CBR, CJOR, CKWX; 8.15, CFCT, KIRO; 9.00, CBR, KJR, KOL; 10.00, KOL; 10.45, CBR, CJOR, KJR; 12.00 noon, KOL; 12.05, CKWX.

Afternoon—12.30, CFCT, CBR, CJOR; 2.00, KIRO, KOL; 2.45, CBR, CJOR; 4.15, KOMO, KIRO, CJOR; 4.45, KOMO, KOL; 4.55, CBR; 5.55, KIRO.

Evening—6.15, KJR; 6.30, CFCT, CKWX; 7.00, CBR, CJOR; 7.15, KOL; 7.30, CBR; 8.00, CJOR; 8.55, KIRO; 9.00, KOL; 8.30, KJR, KOL; 10.00, KOMO, CKWX; 10.15, CBR; 10.30, KOL; 10.45, CJOR; 11.45, KOL; 11.57, KJR, KOMO, CBR.

New Key Station Wave Lengths

CBC NETWORK—CBR (1130).
NBC RED NETWORK—[illegible], KPO (680), KFI (640).
NBC BLUE NETWORK—[illegible]
COLUMBIA NETWORK—KIRO (710), KNX (1070), KVI [illegible].
VANCOUVER—CJOR (600), CKWX (980).
MUTUAL BROADCASTING NETWORK—KOL (1300).
VICTORIA—CFCT (1480).

Sunday's Programme

(The following programmes are compiled by the various broadcasting companies and are subject to change.)

8:00 A.M.—BBC News (CBR, CJOR, CKWX). News, Rhapsody of the Rockies (KOMO). Country Mission (KJR). West Coast Church of the Air (KIRO). Reviewing Stand, News (KOL).

8:15 A.M.—Between Ourselves (CBR). Red Cross Series on Defence (KOMO). Reviewing Stand (KOL). Sunday Symphony (CJOR). On Parade (CKWX).

8:30 A.M.—Symphonic Music (CBR). Music and American Youth (KOMO). Serenade (KJR). [illegible] Tabernacle (KIRO). Singing Strings (KOL). Classical Gems (CKWX).

8:45 A.M.—Christian Science Programme [illegible] (KOL). [illegible] (KJR). Songs of Pioneers (CKWX).

9:00 A.M.—Kelle Children (CBR). Fellowship Hour (KOMO). Rex Maupin Orchestra (KJR). Major Bowes' Family (KIRO). Jefferson Day Dinner (KOL). [illegible] (CJOR). News on Serenade (CKWX).

9:15 A.M.—I'm an American (KJR). Christian Science Programme (KOL). Your Hymns and Mine (CKWX).

9:30 A.M.—And It Came to Pass (CBR). Pageant of Art (KOMO). Radio City Music Hall (KJR). Salt Lake Tabernacle Choir (KIRO). Haven of Rest (KOL). Lutheran Hour (CJOR). Melodious Memories (CKWX).

9:55 A.M.—News (CBR).

10:00 A.M.—Old Country Mail (CBR). [illegible] Kaye (KOMO). Church of the Air (KIRO). News (KOL).

10:15 A.M.—Just Mary (CBR). [illegible] (KOL).

10:30 A.M.—Concert in Miniature (CBR). On Your Job (KOMO). [illegible] (KJR). Songs for Sunday (KOL). Newscast (KIRO). God's Hour (CJOR). Singing Stars (CKWX).

10:45 A.M.—John Sengel (KJR). Around the Sound (KIRO). Canary Chorus (KOL). At the Organ (CKWX).

11:00 A.M.—Heritage of Song (CBR). String Symphony (KOMO). All-Soudies Tea Room (KOL). American Pilgrimage (KJR). Plymouth Congregational Church (KIRO). Metropolitan Tabernacle (CJOR). Church Service (CKWX).

11:15 A.M.—Concert Petite (KOMO). Foreign Policy (KJR). News Bulletin (CBR, 11.27).

11:30 A.M.—Religious Period (CBR). Chicago Round Table (KOMO). Tapestry Musicale (KJR). University Christian Church (KOL).

12:00 P.M.—New York Philharmonic Symphony (CBR). Mixed and Matched (KOMO). Symphony Orchestra (KIRO). Great Plays (KJR).

12:15 P.M.—B. V. Kaltenborn (KOMO). News (KOL).

12:30 P.M.—Garden Talks (KOMO). Young People's Church of the Air (KOL). Rosario Bourdon (CJOR). News (CKWX).

12:40 P.M.—[illegible] (CKWX).

12:45 P.M.—British War Relief Programme (CBR). Orchestra (KOMO). Ballad Music (CJOR).

1:00 P.M.—National Vespers (KOMO). [illegible] Tabernacle (KJR). Athens News (KOL). In Modern Mood (CJOR). Matinee in Rhythm (CKWX).

1:30 P.M.—Church of the Air (CBR). [illegible] (KOMO). Haywood Temple (KJR). Pause That Refreshes (KIRO). Lutheran Hour (KOL). Shut-In Programme (CJOR).

1:45 P.M.—George Bush (CJOR). [illegible] Commentator (KOMO).

2:00 P.M.—Joe and Mabel (KOMO). [illegible] (KJR). [illegible] (CKWX).

2:15 P.M.—National [illegible] (KJR). Pacific Coast Mission (CJOR). News (KIRO).

2:30 P.M.—M. Ovette & Q. MacLean (CBR). Your Dreams Has Come True (KOMO). [illegible] (CKWX).

2:45 P.M.—[illegible] (CKWX).

3:00 P.M.—[illegible] Speaks (CBR). [illegible] Theatre (KIRO). [illegible] (KOMO). [illegible] Hour (KOL). Shall We Waltz (CJOR). Bright [illegible] (CKWX).

3:15 P.M.—Foursquare Gospel Lighthouse (CJOR).

3:30 P.M.—Week-end Review (CBR). What's Your Idea (KOMO). Lutheran [illegible] (KJR). [illegible] Ranch (KIRO). [illegible] (KOL). [illegible] Quarter Time (CKWX).

3:45 P.M.—News (CBR). Dear Mom (KIRO 3.55).

3:50 P.M.—Let's View the War (CBR).

4:00 P.M.—[illegible] News (CBR). Professor Puzzlewit (KOMO). Doctors' Clinic (KJR). [illegible] (KOL). Imagine, Please (CKWX).

4:15 P.M.—Boston Pops Orchestra (CBR). News (KIRO). [illegible] (CJOR).

4:30 P.M.—Carry on Canada (CBR). Band Wagon (KOMO). [illegible] (KJR).

4:45 P.M.—[illegible] (KJR). Gospel Messengers (CJOR).

5:00 P.M.—Columbia Workshop (CBR). [illegible] (KOMO). [illegible] (KJR). American [illegible] (KOL). Columbia Workshop [illegible]. Concert Caravan (CKWX).

5:15 P.M.—British Israel Talk (CJOR).

5:30 P.M.—[illegible] of Freedom (CBR). [illegible] Family (KOMO). Songs of Your Heart (KIRO). Marimba Band (KJR).

5:45 P.M.—News (KIRO 5.55). News (KOL). Church in the Wildwood (CJOR).

6:00 P.M.—Manhattan Merry-Go-Round (KOMO). [illegible] by Ricardo (KJR). [illegible] Hour (KIRO). The Old-Fashioned Revival (KOL). Church of the Air (CJOR). Song Peddler (CKWX).

6:15 P.M.—[illegible] Your Eyes (CKWX).

6:30 P.M.—U.B.C. Music Hour (CBR). American Album of Familiar Music (KOMO). [illegible] (KJR). News (CKWX).

6:45 P.M.—Bill Stern (KJR). Dinner Diversions (CKWX).

7:00 P.M.—News (CBR, CJOR). The Hour of Charm (KOMO). Goodwill Hour (KJR). Take It or Leave It (KIRO). [illegible] Heater (KOL). Sunday at Seven (CKWX).

7:15 P.M.—Britain Speaks (CBR). Lives of the Great (CJOR). Gilbert and Sullivan (KOL).

7:30 P.M.—BBC Newsreel (CBR). Carnival (KOMO). [illegible] Concert (KOL). Helen Hayes Theatre (KIRO).

Christ Church Cathedral Van (CJOR). Church Service (CKWX).

8:00 P.M.—By the Fireside (CBR). Night Editor (KOMO). [illegible] (KJR). [illegible] (KIRO).

8:15 P.M.—Dear John (KOMO).

8:25 P.M.—News (KIRO).

8:30 P.M.—What Did They Think? (CBR). Jack Benny (KOMO). [illegible] Orchestra (KJR). Hollywood Smarty Party (KIRO). America Speaks (KOL).

9:00 P.M.—Hugh Bancroft (CBR). [illegible] (KOMO). [illegible] (KJR). [illegible] (KIRO). Father and Son Programme (CKWX).

[illegible] War News Digest (CKWX 9.30).

9:30 P.M.—Sanctuary (CBR). Hollywood and Shelton (KOMO). [illegible] (KJR). [illegible] (KOL). Mrs. [illegible] Orchestra (KIRO). The Shadow (CKWX).

9:45 P.M.—Sanctuary (CBR). Mixed and Matched (KOMO, KJR).

10:00 P.M.—Clement Q. Williams (CBR). News Flashes (KOMO, KIRO). [illegible] (KOL). [illegible] Orchestra (KJR). News (CKWX).

10:15 P.M.—News (CBR, KIRO). Bridge to Dreamland (KOMO). Home Folks (CKWX).

10:30 P.M.—Bridge to Dreamland (CBR). Haywood Temple Hour (KJR). News (KOL). Reverie (CKWX).

10:45 P.M.—The Free Company (KIRO). [illegible] (KOL). [illegible] (CKWX).

11:00 P.M.—Manny Strand's Orchestra (CBR). The Free Company (KIRO).

11:30 P.M.—Dave Marshall's Orchestra (CBR). Conversation at the Cenacle (KIRO).

CFCT Victoria, B.C. (1480 Kcs.) [illegible] a.m.—Christ Church Cathedral. [illegible]—News Summary. [illegible] [illegible]—Christian Science Programme. [illegible] p.m.—Concert Time. [illegible] p.m.—[illegible]. [illegible] p.m.—[illegible]. [illegible] p.m.—[illegible]. [illegible]—Cathedral Bells. [illegible] Church Cathedral.

Monday's Programme

8:00 A.M.—BBC News (CBR, CJOR, CKWX). [illegible] (KOMO). [illegible] Ensemble (KJR). [illegible] Time (KIRO). [illegible] (KOL).

8:15 A.M.—Question of the Hour (CBR). Against the Storm (KOMO). [illegible] Ensemble (KJR). [illegible] (KIRO). [illegible] (KOL). [illegible] Rider (CJOR). [illegible] Time (CKWX).

8:30 A.M.—The Bandeer (CBR). Popular Potpourri (KOMO). Christian Science Programme (KJR). The Goldbergs (KIRO). Breakfast Club (CJOR).

8:45 A.M.—The Wife Saver (CBR). David Harum (KOMO). [illegible] (KJR). [illegible] of All Churches (KIRO). [illegible] Today (KOL). Home of Pioneers (CKWX).

9:00 A.M.—News (CBR, KJR, KOL). Victor Lindlahr (KOMO). Kate Smith Noonday Chats (KIRO). [illegible] Programme (CJOR). [illegible] Neighbor (CKWX).

9:15 A.M.—Mademoiselle at Piano (CBR). Petty Jean Health Club (KJR). When a Girl Marries (KIRO). Musical Jackpot (CJOR). [illegible] (KOL).

9:30 A.M.—B.C. School Broadcasts (CBR). Voice of Experience (KOMO). Farm and Home Hour (KJR). Romance of Helen Trent (KIRO). Gay Daughters (KOL). [illegible] True Stories (CKWX).

9:45 A.M.—Mistral Kends Man (KOMO). Our Gal Sunday (KIRO). [illegible] (KOL). [illegible] (CKWX).

10:00 A.M.—Kapper Gang (CBR). Heart of Julia Blake (KOMO). Life Can Be Beautiful (KIRO). John B. Hughes, News (KOL). Just and Pound Pets (CJOR). [illegible] (CKWX).

10:15 A.M.—Home Service (KOMO). Traveling Reporter (KJR). Women in White (KIRO). [illegible] (KOL). [illegible] (CJOR). [illegible] Programme (CKWX).

10:30 A.M.—Arthur Godfrey (CBR). [illegible] (KOMO). Jack Wager Serenade (KJR). The Right to Happiness (KIRO). Helen Holden (KOL). Rhythm and Romance (CKWX).

10:45 A.M.—News (CBR, CJOR). Dr. Kate (KOMO). [illegible] Harding (KJR). I'll Find My Way (KOL). Songs of a Dreamer (KIRO).

11:00 A.M.—Big Sister (CBR, CJOR, KIRO). Light of the World (KOMO). Art Kasper's Notebook (KJR). [illegible] (KOL). [illegible] (CKWX).

11:15 A.M.—Life and Love of Dr. Susan (CBR, CJOR). Modern Man (KOMO). Aunt Jenny (KIRO). Talk by Vice-President Wallace (KOL).

11:30 A.M.—Rochester Civic Orchestra (CBR). Valiant Lady (KOMO). On With the Dance (KJR). Fletcher Wiley (KIRO). [illegible] Concert (KOL). Breakfast Sam (CJOR). Great Masters (CKWX).

11:45 P.M.—Rochester Civic Orchestra (KOMO). A Commons Daughter (KOMO). [illegible] (KJR). [illegible] of the Brass (KIRO). [illegible] (KOL). [illegible] of Melody (CJOR).

12:00 [illegible] Farm Broadcast (CBR). [illegible] (KOMO). Cavalcade of Encores (KJR). Martha Webster (KIRO). [illegible] (KOL). [illegible] Studio (CJOR). [illegible] of the Day, News (CKWX).

12:05 P.M.—News (CKWX).

12:15 P.M.—Christian Businessmen (CBR). [illegible] (KOMO). Amanda of Honeymoon Hill (KJR). [illegible] of Song (KIRO). [illegible] (CKWX).

12:30 P.M.—The News (CBR). Pepper Young's Family (KOMO). [illegible] Wife (KJR). [illegible] (KIRO). Music (CKWX).

12:45 P.M.—Composers' Corner (CBR). Vic and Sade (KOMO). Just Plain Bill (KJR). Women of Courage (KIRO). Edith Adams' Future (KOL). Salon Music (CJOR).

1:00 P.M.—How I Grow Kanes (CBR). [illegible] Wife (KOMO). [illegible] (KJR). [illegible] Stage Sees Life (KIRO). We Are Always Young (KOL). The Man I Married (CJOR). Music (CKWX).

1:15 P.M.—Club Matinee (CBR). Stella Dallas (KOMO). [illegible] (KJR). [illegible] (KIRO). [illegible] (KOL). [illegible] Notebook (CJOR).

1:30 P.M.—For Our Listeners (CBR). Lorenzo Jones (KOMO). Studio Party (KJR).

The Story of [illegible] (KIRO). [illegible] (KOL). [illegible] (CKWX).

1:45 P.M.—Presenting [illegible], Pianist (CBR). Young Widder Brown (KOMO). Cowboy Joe (KJR). Hepmother (KIRO). Melody Happiness (KOL). [illegible] (CJOR).

2:00 P.M.—[illegible] Stock Quotations (CBR). [illegible] (KOMO). [illegible] of the Green (KJR). News (KIRO). News [illegible] Hughes (KOL). [illegible] (CKWX).

2:15 P.M.—Mirror for Women (CBR). [illegible] (KOMO). Singing Sam (KIRO). The Tale is Best (KOL). Singing Sam (KJR).

2:30 P.M.—Marianne Deteal, Songs (CBR). Guiding Light (KOMO). [illegible] (KJR). [illegible] (KIRO). Let's Talk It Over (KOL).

2:45 P.M.—BBC News (CBR, CJOR). [illegible] Be Beautiful (KOMO). [illegible] (KJR). Scattergood Baines (KIRO). Let's Play Bridge (KOL).

3:00 P.M.—The Merry Islanders (CBR). Seattle Library (KOMO). Irene Wicker (KJR). Young [illegible] (KIRO). Music [illegible] (KOL). Life Can Be [illegible] (CJOR). [illegible] (CKWX).

3:15 P.M.—Bacon Groups (CBR). [illegible] Fisher's (KOMO). [illegible] (KJR). Hedda Hopper's Hollywood (KIRO). [illegible] (CJOR). [illegible] (KOL). Mile Topper (CKWX).

3:30 P.M.—[illegible] (CBR). Homemakers' Calendar (KOMO). The [illegible] (KJR). [illegible] Interne (KIRO). At [illegible] News (KOL). [illegible] (CJOR). Stringing Along (CKWX).

3:45 P.M.—[illegible] (CBR). [illegible] Alias (KOMO). [illegible] (KJR). The World Today (KIRO). Afternoon Serenade (KOL). [illegible] to Happiness (CJOR).

4:00 P.M.—[illegible] (KOMO). Organ Moods (KJR). The Second Mrs. Burton (KIRO). Fulton Lewis (KOL). Road of Life (CJOR). South Sea Serenade (CKWX).

4:15 P.M.—Newsroom (KOMO). [illegible] (KJR). News Reel (KIRO). Ma Perkins (KOL). News (CJOR).

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It is hard to say that the National Housing Act is increasing in popularity, when, since its first introduction it has met with instant response from hundreds of prospective home builders in Victoria. It is rather a case that more and more people and themselves in a position to take advantage of the opportunities offered. All through our open Wiptter building and construction of new homes has gone forwafd steadily in every district of Victoria and adjacent municipalities and a large proportion of this activity is directly due to the National Housing Act.

The public has now gained a clear picture of the act and the advantages it holds. Many points that formerly formed a barrier have been changed or modified to meet local conditions. The National Housing Act has opened the way for hundreds of wage earners and householders of average income to build their own homes. Up to 80 per cent of the completed value of the home will be advanced under a the plan, the remaining 20 per cent being put up in the form of cash, a building lot or both.

PLANS SUPERVISED

With the inception of the plan certain dissatisfaction was voiced that the Government retains the right to supervise the construction. Actual practice has proved that this works out to the distinct advantage of the applicant. He is assured of a high standard of workmanship and materials with a concomitant low rate of depreciation when the house is finished. It is noteworthy here to remark that in Victoria builders and contractors have a normal high standard which has required little or no alteration on the part of the inspectors. The minimum specifications laid down under the act are only those which safeguard the owner in the future. Because of these specifications it is a foregone conclusion that the home built under the National Housing Act will enjoy a high resale value in the future.

COMMUNITY AIDED

In entering upon this programme of home building, Victorians are aiding, not only themselves, but the whole community. Anyone who has tried to rent a house at the present time will appreciate that increased housing facilities in Greater Victoria is an urgent need. Up to three years ago the district has stood still in this respect and it is only with the advent of the National Housing Act that home building has taken such a pronounced step forward.

Another point is the fact that activity in building tracts favorably on every industry in the country. Building supplies, lumber mills and the labor market benefit directly, while the increased purchasing power brought about by added payrolls contributes to better times for all.

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Powder Room and Guest Room on Lower Floor Popular Combination

Many modern home builders and renovators who would like to have a handy powder room, but who hesitate to make the necessary outlay, have found a way to justify the cost under the heading of necessity rather than convenience. This is accomplished by combining the projected powder room with a ground floor guest or sun room, quite therefore spreading the expense over two necessary items in the better-than-subsistence type of home.

The guest room suite on the ground floor is becoming more and more popular in the new house designs as it is realized what a multitude of uses this arrangement can be put to. Not only does it provide greater privacy and convenience for both the guest and his hosts but it takes much of the inconvenience out of caring for the occasional sick member of the family. It saves energy and time for those who care for the patient and, once convalescence has begun, it avoids unnecessary climbing of stairs. Another factor in its favor is that it facilitates the handling of visitors without trailing them through the entire house.

The powder room and the guest dressing room are, in this case, the same room and the bathroom serves both rooms. The ideal arrangement being to have the bathroom in between the other two rooms. In this way, the occupant of the powder room would not disturb the occupant of the guest room.

CHEAP

The stage was occupied by an illusionist. I now come to my greatest sensation," he told his audience, and without another word he opened a big black box, from which there was no other apparent outlet, put a woman in, and sliced down the lid. When he opened the box again there was nothing inside but a couple of white rabbits.

After the performance a Scotsman went to the illusionist and asked if he could perform the trick if his wife Scotsman's wife were placed in the box.

"Why, yes," answered the illusionist, jokingly. "But are you anxious to get rid of your wife?"

"Well," answered the Scot, "it's no use much that but wee Jock my boy got me to promise him twa rabbits for his birthday."

Good Windows Are Essential

One of the Most Important Points to Study in Planning the New Home Is the Placing of the Windows. Above Is Shown a Sunny Room, Well Lighted by Large Pane Windows, and With the Radiators Set in the Sills, Thus Eliminating Cold Wall Space.

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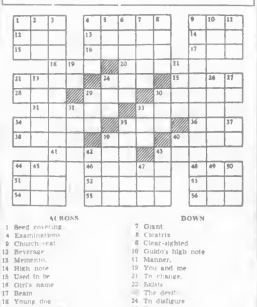

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13 Memento
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22 Egyptian deity
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36 Consolation
38 Wife of Gerain
39 To irritate
40 Down
41 Even
43 Hawaiian dish
44 Silkworm
46 Angry
48 Poetic: To unclose
51 Rodent
52 Compound ether
53 Vase
54 Bone
55 Cut of meat
56 Earth

DOWN

1 Animal's foot
2 Palm leaf
3 Contemptibleness
4 Snare
5 Poetic: Nightfall
6 Sign
7 Giant
8 Cicatrix
9 Clear-sighted
10 Guido's high note
11 Manner
19 You and me
21 To change
22 Sable
23 The devil!
24 To dialogue
26 To ward off
27 Compass point
29 Length measure
30 River in England
32 To tolerate
33 To test in fineness and weight
34 Note of scale
35 To tell
37 White
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40 Indo-Chinese language
42 Contends
43 To lift quickly
44 Epoch
45 Steel
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48 Prefix: In favor of
50 Finish

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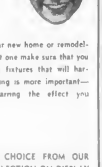

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New Homes Are Rising Everywhere

INSTALLATION OF AIR CONDITIONING MUST BE STUDIED

Heating System and Air Conditioning Must Be Synchronized—Humidity Is Subject Not Properly Understood by Layman—Simple Physics Are Interesting

HOME owners who are interested in "air conditioning" and contemplating the installation of humidifying equipment in conjunction with the heating system, should study carefully the efficacy of any system for the particular task, advises the Canadian Institute of Plumbing and Heating.

Humidity is a subject which is frequently discussed very casually, says the institute. A study of the simple physics of humidity reveals some interesting facts. As air is warmed, it will hold a steadily increasing amount of water, and as it cools the water is released. This is the whole reason for dew on grass and frost on windows.

The first problem of home humidifying is the fact that a cold wall or window will cause the air to release water, with damage to walls and decorations. This is why an efficient heating system is the first vital factor in air conditioning.

DOUBLE WINDOWS

Air at 70 degrees will hold 15.8 times as much water as air at zero; and so 100 per cent relative humidity outside is only 6.3 per cent when the air of a room is warmed to 70 degrees. There is therefore hardly a home in Canada where it would be possible to maintain 40 per cent relative humidity in zero weather. 30 per cent is ample for health and other purposes and higher humidities are neither practicable nor desirable.

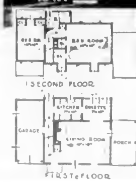
Further, it is never possible to produce adequate humidities without double windows as the frost produced would be very unwelcome.

FURNACE INADEQUATE

To produce even 30 per cent relative humidity, large quantities of water must be evaporated—much more than is possible with ordinary equipment in the average warm-air furnace. On a cold day outside, with 70 degrees inside, from fifteen to twenty gallons are needed in twenty-four hours in a nine-room house. Further this must be a steady process, because of the way in which plaster woodwork curtains and books absorb moisture.

In an average nine-room house if humidity were changed fifteen points relative and kept that way for two weeks there would be added or given out from the contents of the house, about a barrel of water. The change would make a telephone directory gain an ounce in weight or a pair of boots gain the contents of half a test tube of water.

To obtain effective humidity it is, therefore, necessary to have adequate machinery for evaporating plenty of water and to operate with sufficient regularity to hold the water contents of the house at a steady point.



Dutch Colonial architecture serves as the inspiration for this two-story home, giving maximum living space under the conservative roof area. The veranda and attached garage expands its beauty.

TWO MAIN USES FOR INSULATION

Elimination of Heat Loss Makes Insulation Most Profitable Investment

Insulating materials are made for two purposes. To prevent heat and cold penetration and to stop sound. Insulation against heat is widely used in all kinds of buildings, and few buildings are now built without some insulation of this sort.

Insulation against sound, however, is confined at the present time generally to commercial buildings, retail stores, hotels and public buildings. Sound insulation and acoustical treatments should not be confused. Sound insulation stops the transmission of sound from one room to another, while acoustical treatment is used to break up the reflected sound waves within a room itself to prevent echoes. There are some materials that serve both purposes.

Insulation against sound penetration may be placed within the wall structure or it may be applied as a wall or ceiling finish. Many of the insulating wallboards are now made for acoustical work that insulates against sound transmission as well. The makeup of the material itself cuts down the penetration of sound and the surface finish prevents the reflection of sound.

EXTRAS ADD TO EXPENSES

Strict Adherence to Original Plans Save Homebuilder Much Money

An irritating experience for homebuilders is paying for "extras" at the end of a building job. No one wants "extras" — architect, contractor or home-owner. They are common enough to create the impression that homebuilding starts with spending a certain limited sum and ends with spending much more.

To avoid the expense of "extras" the homebuilder must make sure that the plans and specifications call for all that he wants and that the drawings correspond in each particular with the desires.

Every architect is familiar with plans and specifications prepared by people who are not competent — plans prepared overnight by "jerry" builders, which an architect would not dignify by any other term than "rough sketches." Often these show only the position of the walls with the necessary doors and windows, and the most meagre sort of equipment.

BUILDER'S FAULT

The homebuilder is justified in complaining when he does not have that extra money. But this objectionable bill of extras is often the homebuilder's own fault, because he does not know what is and what is not included in the plans and specifications, and assumes that he is going to get all that he desires.

Or else when the building is under way he finds that he has not visualized what the drawings and specifications call for, and not liking what he finds the contractor is building for him, has changes made. One small change nearly always involves a string of adjustments in other matters and causes "extra" charges seemingly out of all proportion to the importance of the change desired.

CHANGES COSTLY

Specifications for houses of this kind are often included entirely on a single sheet of paper. It is manifest that a homebuilder is not protected with documents of this sort. They do not represent a complete agreement between the owner and the contractor as to the materials and labor to be supplied, therefore the owner is at the mercy of the contractor.

This is not an indictment of the contractor and is not intended to be so. As a matter of fact, plans and specifications of this kind are just as unfair to the contractor as they are to the homebuilder. The contractor has to guess what is in the homebuilder's mind, and it is unfair to expect him to supply everything that the homebuilder desires when it is not part of the contract for him to deliver these things.

STUDY PLANS

The homebuilder will do well to go over the plans with care, noting each room, how it is equipped, how lighted, how it relates to the other parts of the house, the privacy that is given to the bedrooms, the location of windows and doors, the wall spaces for furniture. In this way he will have a mental picture of the house when completed, a picture which he should have before he ever starts to build.

FOUNDATIONS OF HOME IMPORTANT

Many Considerations Enter Into Decision as to What Should Be Used

What form of foundations to select for a home is a question which should be determined by local conditions when building a house. The availability of materials and the price the homebuilder can afford are, of course, important considerations. There are many materials that may be used under the specifications of the National Housing Act, so the choice for the prospective house builder is varied.

Where cellars are to be included, stone, brick, concrete units, or cast concrete are the common materials, while in some sections of the country terra-cotta tiles are used. Any of these will serve in places where the soil is reasonably free from water, but where bad weather conditions exist a cast foundation is to be preferred.

Except where soil has unusual weight-bearing qualities, footings should be laid under all foundation walls. Where they are laid they should extend beyond each face of the wall for a distance equal to one-half the thickness of the footing; any excess width is of little or no value. For instance, with a footing eight inches deep, a four-inch projection on each side of the foundation wall is all that is needed. To put eight inches on each side is just a waste of material.

Where bad soil conditions are encountered, it is sometimes necessary to lay spread footings which are pyramidal in form with either sloping sides or steps. Where soft spots appear only at certain places under a wall, they may have spread footings as described, or reinforcement may be placed in the portion of the footing covering these spots. Do not skimp on the foundation, unless that stands solid the whole superstructure will be affected.

That Body of Yours

by JAMES W. BARTON, M.D.

X-RAYS MAY PREVENT SYMPTOMS OF ANGINA PECTORIS

When, as youngsters, we were playing a game that required much or continuous running, we would get a pain in the chest that made us stop in our tracks. By resting or walking, the pain would gradually disappear and we were able to play just as hard as ever. We called this getting our "second wind." This condition is caused by playing or working so hard that the lungs cannot supply the heart muscle with enough pure blood containing oxygen. It is this lack of oxygen in the heart muscle that causes the pain. By resting or "slowing up" our exercise the blood has more oxygen to send to the heart and the pain disappears.

This pain that we had as youngsters is the same as grown-ups get when they exercise or eat too much. It is called angina pectoris and is due to the same cause—not enough oxygen in the blood supplying the heart muscle.

When we have a shock, other emotional disturbance, or face a cold wind, it may upset the proper working together of the heart and lungs; the blood does not get a sufficient supply of oxygen and the vise-like pain in the chest may occur. Nature, the friendly force behind mankind, tries to help us when we are attacked by emotional disturbances or cold, by stimulating the adrenal glands situated one above each kidney, causing them to pour out an extra supply of adrenalin into the blood. This adrenalin, while lessening the oxygen supply to the blood going to heart muscle, opens the blood vessels wider so that the heart muscle will get more blood and prevent the pain. However, when the blood vessels cannot open wider because they have lost some of their elastic tissue (hardening of the arteries), the pain—angina pectoris—occurs.

Can anything be done for these patients whose blood vessels are getting hard and who have the attacks of angina pectoris?

Dr. W. Raab, Burlington, Vt., in Annals of Internal Medicine, states that attempts to relieve the symptoms of angina pectoris by cutting down on the amount of adrenalin poured into the tissue, by means of X-ray treatments, were successful in seventy-six of 100 patients. Sixty-two patients were entirely free or almost entirely freed from complaints or at least considerably improved for an average of thirteen and a half months, fourteen patients were moderately improved for an average of seven and a half months, and twenty-four received no help from X-ray treatments. These patients had the genuine symptoms of angina pectoris on effort, emotion and cold.

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1 BIRTHS

RAWNSLEY—At St. Joseph's Hospital, April 18, to Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Rawnsley, of 169 Beechwood Avenue, a son.

3 DEATHS

MERCHAM—On Saturday, April 19, there passed away suddenly at his home, Cerce Road, George William Mendham, age sixty years, born in Cortan, Suffolk, England, and a resident of this city for the past thirty years and was employed by the Canadian Pacific Railway as a welder for more than forty years and has many friends in this city. The remains are resting at the chapel of the Sands Mortuary Ltd., and the day of the funeral will be announced later.

BONEHURST—There passed away on Thursday morning, April 17, Caroline Bonehurst, aged seventy-two years, widow of the late Gideon James Bonehurst. The late Mrs. Bonehurst was born in England and had been a resident of this city for the last twelve years and is mourned by one son, Robert G. Dilas of Edmonton, Alta. She was a member of Purple Star Lodge No. 104, L.O.R.A. and a Past Worthy Mistress of Capital City Lodge No. 383 Loyal True Blue. The remains are resting at McCall Bros.' Funeral Home and services will be held on Monday afternoon at 2 o'clock, in St. Barnabas Church. Canon W. N. Smith will conduct the service, after which interment will be made in Royal Oak Burial Park. (Regina and Saskatoon papers please copy.)

TAYLOR—There passed away on Friday afternoon, April 18, in the Ladysmith General Hospital, Ladysmith, Charles Godfrey Taylor, aged twenty-eight years, born in Victoria, where he resided all his life. He is survived by his widow at Ladysmith, his mother and stepfather, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Eccleston, one stepsister and a stepbrother, at the family residence, Royal Oak, Saanich; his grandmothers, Mrs. Lorelece Taylor, of Kent, England, and Mrs. Mary McGee of Victoria, and was the son of the late Major Charles Taylor of the Royal Irish Regiment, who was killed in the Great War. The remains are resting at the chapel of the Sands Mortuary, Ltd., where funeral service will be conducted Tuesday, April 22, at 2 o'clock, and the remains will be laid at rest in the Royal Oak Burial Park.

BASSO—There passed away in Victoria, B.C., on Thursday, April 17, 1941, Mr. Richelle Basso, aged seventy-four years. The late Mr. Basso was born in Victoria and resided here all his life. His former residence being 3623 Rock Bay Avenue. He leaves to mourn his passing one son, Henry Nichelle Basso, of Ashford, Wash.; two daughters, Mrs. T. Newell, of Portland, Ore., and Mrs. Alfred Burner, of Prince Rupert, B.C.; also three grandchildren and one sister, Mrs. R. Purser, of Victoria, B.C., and one brother, Mr. Lawrence Basso, of 635 John Street, Victoria. The remains are resting in the chapel of the Sands Mortuary, Ltd., from where the cortege will leave on Monday morning at 8.50 o'clock and proceed to St. Andrew's Cathedral, where ten minutes later High Mass will be sung. The remains will be laid at rest in the family plot in the Ross Bay Cemetery.

ATKINSON—There passed away in Victoria on Thursday, April 17, 1941, Mr. Thomas John Atkinson, aged seventy-six years. The late Mr. Atkinson was born in Penrith, England, and had been a resident of this city for the last seventeen years, his late residence being 133 Ladysmith Street. He leaves to mourn his passing one daughter, Mrs. Duncan, of 1016 Inverness Street; three sisters, Mrs. Annie Brothy, of Monrovia, Cal., Mrs. Mary Hansen, of Monrovia, Cal., and Mrs. Lilly Whittstrech, of Panama. Neb., and one son, John R. Atkinson, of Neilburg, Sask.; also three grandchildren and two great-grandchildren. The remains are resting in the chapel of Sands Mortuary, Ltd., from where funeral services will be conducted on Tuesday afternoon, at 3.30 o'clock, and the remains will be laid at rest in the Colwood Burial Park.

BASSO—There passed away in Victoria, B.C., on Thursday, April 17, 1941, Mr. Nicholas Basso, aged seventy-four years. The late Mr. Basso was born in Victoria and resided here all his life, his former residence being 3623 Rock Bay Avenue. He leaves to mourn his passing one son, Henry Nicholas Basso, of Ashford, Wash.; two daughters, Mrs. T. Newell, of Portland, Ore., and Mrs. Aldon Burner, of Prince Rupert, B.C.; also three grandchildren and one sister, Mrs. R. Purser, of Victoria, B.C., and one brother, Mr. Lawrence Basso, of 635 John Street, Victoria. The remains are resting in the chapel of the Sands Mortuary, Ltd., from where the cortege will leave on Monday morning at 8.50 o'clock, and proceed to St. Andrew's Cathedral, where ten minutes later High Mass will be sung. The remains will be laid at rest in the family plot in the Ross Bay Cemetery.

3 DEATHS (Continued)

JOHNSON—On April 19, 1941, at Victoria, B.C., Private Clarence W. Johnson, R.C.A.C., of Blackpool, B.C. The remains are resting in Hayward's B.C. Funeral Chapel pending funeral arrangements.

4 CARD OF THANKS

Mrs. R. H. Davis and family wish to extend their sincere thanks to the attending doctors, Mr. McCall and many kind friends for their understanding messages of sympathy and beautiful floral tributes received during their recent bereavement.

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BATTRICK—In loving memory of P. W. Battrick, who passed away April 21, 1937.

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Since death, its gloom, its shadow cast
Within our home, where all seemed bright,
And took from us a shining light.

We miss that light, and ever will;
His vacant place there is none to fill.
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B.C. JUDGE IS TO HEAD BOARD

Hon. G. S. Pearson Appoints Mr. Justice Fisher in B.C.E.R. Co. Case

Mr Justice A. I. Fisher of the Supreme Court will act as chairman of an arbitration board now set up under the [illegible] ... differences between the B.C. Electric Railway Company Ltd. and some 1,800 employees in the traffic divisions in Victoria, Vancouver and New Westminster, Hon. G. S. Pearson announced yesterday.

The balance of the board will include W. R. Dowery as a representative of the B.C. Electric Railway Company Ltd. and W. R. Trotter, on behalf of the employees.

Arbitration before the board will follow failure of preliminary negotiations in the case.

The men are asking for six cents an hour increase for all departments covered by the agreement. They also ask New Westminster and Point Grey garage employees and Victoria bus operators of the company to be covered, as well as a thirty-day clause covering wages to be inserted in the agreement.

Tides at Victoria

APRIL

Time, Tides (Pacific Standard Time) at Victoria, B.C., for the month of April, 1941.

Date	Time H.M.	Ht. Ft.	Time H.M.	Ht. Ft.	Time H.M.	Ht. Ft.	Time H.M.	Ht. Ft.
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The time is Pacific Standard for the 120th Meridian west. It is counted from 0 to 24 hours, from midnight to midnight. The figures for height serve to distinguish high water from low water. Where blanks occur in the table, the tide rises or falls continuously during two successive tidal periods without turning.

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GRADE "A" DAIRY FARM, CLOSE to Victoria ... [illegible] ... T. B. Harris, Birchbrook Road.

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CORPORATION OF THE CITY OF VICTORIA, B.C. TENDERS FOR LAMPS, GLOBES AND MISC. FOR CITY LIGHT DEPARTMENT

SEALED tenders will be received up until 3 p.m. on Monday, May 5th, 1941, for the following: ... Specifications and further particulars may be obtained from the City Purchasing Department ... The lowest or any tender will not necessarily be accepted. E. S. MICHELL, City Purchasing Agent. City Hall, Victoria, B.C., April 18, 1941.

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Auction Sale of High-Grade Jersey Cattle
ON THURSDAY, APRIL 24, AT 1 P.M.

Having received instructions from G. Tisdall, Esq., Drinkwater Road, two miles north of Duncan, who on account of labor conditions has decided to sell his herd, consisting of 12 head of Cows and Heifers, some of them to freshen soon. All of them are exceptionally fine stock and in the very pink of condition. One 8-year-old heavy Jersey Bull (fat), 8 tons Mixed Hay (baled), 1 English Power Digger, especially made for tile drains. Anyone wishing to send anything to be sold at this sale is invited to do so.

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FIREMEN PERFORM SPLENDID SERVICE

LONDON, April 18 (CP)—It was authoritatively stated today that the number of fires started in the German raid on London the night of April 16 was the largest since the beginning of the war. None of the fires got out of control, however.

During the raid more than 20,000 firemen were on duty, it was said, and, although a number of fire stations were hit, the casualties in the service were not heavy.

QUITE TIME

Wife—Do you realize that twenty-five years ago today we became engaged?

Absent-Minded Professor—Twenty-five years! You should have reminded me before. It's certainly time we got married.

TOPS FIELD IN $15,000

Porter's Cap Flashes Great Form in Winning Chesapeake Stakes

HAVRE DE GRACE, Md., April 19 (AP)—Porter's Cap, O. S. (Lucky) Howard's good-looking Kentucky Derby candidate, served notice today that he is right and ready for the run for the roses at Churchill Downs.

Before a crowd of more than 20,000, largest of the meeting, Porter's Cap made a walk-away of the $15,000-added Chesapeake Stakes, winning with ease over five opponents, including two other Derby candidates and two Preakness eligibles. Porter's Cap scored by two and a half lengths over Mrs. Louise Palladino's Derby candidate, Little Beans. E. K. Bryson's Cavalier, a Preakness eligible, finished third.

The winner covered the mile and a sixteenth in 1.45 1-5, then went on to complete a mile and a quarter, the Derby distance, in 2.05.

The purse of $12,800 increased Porter's Cap's 1941 earnings to $62,375. Backed into odds-on favoritism, he paid $3.50, $2.50 and $2.10.

CREIGHTON WINS SHUTTLE HONORS

VANCOUVER, April 19 (CP)—Murray Creighton, Duncan, B.C., tonight successfully defended his singles junior badminton title when he defeated Richard Trethewey, Haney, in the finals of the British Columbia junior badminton championships here in the under-eighteen class.

In addition, he teamed up with Bob Nilan, New Westminster, to take the doubles title. He and Nilan defeated Trethewey and his brother Art, 15-8, 18-15, in the boys' under-eighteen doubles.

Girls' singles title, under eighteen, was taken by Lois Reid, Vancouver, when she eliminated Audry Crease, another Vancouver girl, 11-6, 11-8. Audry fared better in the doubles, though, when she hooked up with Jean Leckie to beat Lois Reid, Vancouver, and Violet Hay, Abbotsford, 15-10, 11-15, 17-16.

In mixed doubles, under eighteen, Violet Hay, Abbotsford, and Richard Trethewey, Haney, lost out to Audry Crease, Vancouver and Allen Trethewey, Haney.

Biddy White and Ron Phillips, Vancouver, took the mixed doubles, under sixteen, from Jean Leckie, Vancouver, and Bill Trethewey, Haney, 15-10, 15-10.

GREEK COMMAND SAYS PUSH MADE

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tary governor of the capital during the critical period to insure stability.

The British Imperial forces were fighting shoulder to shoulder with the Greeks along the entire northern Greek front as waves of German infantry struggled up the rugged mountain sides in the full face of the murderous Allied fire.

"We mow them down by the hundreds as they try to climb the steep mountain sides," said a military officer, "but as soon as one wave is thrown back another pushes forward.

"Their losses are tremendous, unequalled, I believe, by anything they have suffered in the European war to date."

The Nazis are bringing up heavy guns, this informant said, to supplement the constant hammering by their Stukas, coming over twenty to thirty at a time.

The British communique said the R.A.F. was giving the Germans a dose of their own medicine with heavy air assaults.

Both the mountainous country and the never-say-die resistance of the outnumbered Allied forces has put the Nazi mechanized warfare into reverse, army circles asserted.

Unable to force the narrow passes with their panzer units, the Germans were said to be using infantry by the tens of thousands for the first time in the Balkan campaign.

Bowler Drops Pins for 450 On Mainland

VANCOUVER, April 19 (CP)—Jimmy Norton, Vancouver athlete who recently starred with Movie Actor Victor McLaglen's Hollywood soccer team, rolled a perfect game of 450 here tonight at the opening sessions of the first annual British Columbia fivepin bowling championships.

Norton made his perfect score and [illegible] Howard Ness, of Vancouver, and Vern Anderson, of Port Alberni.

Marian Wheatley, of Nanaimo, topped the "C" class when she paired with A. Green, also of Nanaimo, for a grand total of 1,473, 226 pins above their nearest competitors.

Miss Wheatley rolled 199, 291 and 287, while Green had 172, 224 and 246. They had a 54 handicap.

The Vancouver Nil Desperandum rolled 2,428 to win the Western Canada blind bowling championship for the fourth consecutive year.

Bowling by telegraph other scores were: Winnipeg, 2,248, Calgary, 2,237, Edmonton, 2,193, Victoria 2,181.

Baseball Parley Is Carded Today

Baseball moguls will gather this morning at Royal Athletic Park to make plans for the opening of the 1941 pennant race. The parley is slated for 10.30 o'clock, and is open to senior and second division club representatives.

While the executive and team managers are attending the session behind closed doors, players will be going through their pre-season training at the Caledonia Avenue ball lot. The workout, open to all ball players, whether registered with the association or not, will get under way at 10 o'clock.

COAST BASEBALL

OAKLAND, April 19 (AP)—A home run by Cecil Dunn in the seventh inning was the only score as Oakland defeated Seattle here today, 1-0. Jack Salveson allowed Seattle only three hits, and was in trouble only once in the ninth inning when a hit, an error, and an international base on balls filled the bases before the side was retired. Ed Cole, pitching for Seattle, allowed four hits.

		R	H	E
Seattle	000 000 000—0	0	3	1
Oakland	000 000 10x—1	1	4	1

Batteries — Cole and Campbell; Salveson and W. Raimondi.

		R	H	E
Portland	000 000 000 3—3	3	10	1
Hollywood	000 000 000 0—0	0	4	1

Batteries — Liska and Hawkins; Gay, Bithorn and Brenzel, Dapper.

		R	H	E
Los Angeles	101 011 000—3	3	8	2
Sacramento	302 000 10x—6	6	7	1

Batteries — Berry and Collins; Green, Hollingsworth and Wieczorek.

		R	H	E
San Francisco	101 000 000—1	1	8	1
San Diego	003 034 00x—10	10	16	1

Batteries — Epperley, Kittle and Sprinz; Hebert and Salkeld.

LIFE'S LIKE THAT - By Fred Neher

"Can you locate the bundle my wife left here about an hour ago?"

FLYIN' JENNY — *No Detour* — By Russell Keaton

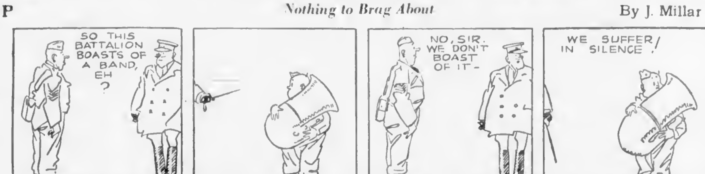
MUTT AND JEFF — *From the Bench to the Showers* — By Bud Fisher

MARY WORTH'S FAMILY — By Dale Allen

SUPERMAN — *A Busy Man* — By Jerry Siegel and Joe Shuster

POPEYE

POP — *Nothing to Brag About* — By J. Millar Watt



BLONDIE — *Why Didn'tcha Stalk That Stork* — By Chic Young

FINANCE - COMMERCE - MARKETS

Nervous Trading Depresses Sales On Wall Street

NEW YORK, April 19 (AP)—Stock prices generally softened again today as the market edged out of another declining week with persistent apprehension over war developments.

Numerous lows for the past ten months or longer again were registered in exceptionally quiet dealings but losses on the whole were in minor fractions and scattered recoveries were in evidence at the close.

The Associated Press average of sixty stocks was off .1 of a point at 39.2, lowest level for this composite since June 11 when the French collapse hit prices. In thirteen consecutive sessions the market was able to get up only once, and that but .1 of a point last Monday.

Drying up of selling was moderately comforting to forces that believe the list has discounted a lot of bad foreign and domestic happenings. Transfers for the two hours amounted to 230,110 shares, as compared with 290,390 last Saturday.

DOW JONES' AVERAGES

Dow Jones' averages closed as follows:

Thirty industrials, 119.15, off .12.
Twenty rails, 27.72, off .03.
Twenty utilities, 18.16, up .06.
Total sales, 238,000.

(R. A. Mumber Ltd.)
(All Fractions in Eighths)

	Bid	Asked
Baldwin Locomotive	12 6	13
Bendix Aviation	33 7	43 1
Beth. Steel	60 4	60 6
Boeing	1 7	13 1
Briggs	1 7	18
C P R	3 3	3
C & O Railway	37 3	33 6
Chrysler	4	57 3
Cont. Can	33 3	34
Crown Zellerbach	11 4	12 2
Crucible Steel	37	37 4
Curtiss Wright	7	7 6
Curtiss Wright A	24 6	25
Douglas Aircraft	64	[illegible]
Dupont	140	140 2
El. Auto Lite	33 4	33 5
Freeport Texas	34	[illegible]
General Foods	38 2	38 6
Gen. Electric	33 4	38 4
General Motors	38 1	33 3
Great Northern	23 4	23 6
Home Stake	29	30
Int. Harvester	44	44 6
Int. Nickel	23	20
Johns Manville	64 3	55 4
Kennecott Copper	31 6	32
Loew's	30 3	30 3
Monsanto Chemical	70	78 4
Montgomery Ward	32	33 4
Nat. Dairy	13	13 1
Nash Kelvinator	3 7	4
New York Central	11 4	11 6
Northern Pacific	5 6	6
Packard	3 6	3 7
Paramount Pictures	[illegible]	[illegible]
Penn. Railway	[illegible]	[illegible]
Pullman	23 4	[illegible]
Radio	4	4
Republic Iron Steel	[illegible]	[illegible]
Safeway Stores	34 7	[illegible]
Sears Roebuck	68 2	68 4
Southern Pacific	[illegible]	[illegible]
Southern Railway	12	[illegible]
Sperry Corp	28 1	28 6
Standard Brands	[illegible]	8
Standard Oil Co.	[illegible]	30
Standard Oil N.J.	35	[illegible]
Studebaker	6 1	6
Texas Corp	38 4	38 6
Texas Gulf	33	32 6
Twentieth Century Fox	[illegible]	[illegible]
Union Carbide	63 4	[illegible]
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Union Pacific	[illegible]	[illegible]
United Aircraft	36 4	35

[illegible]

Grain Markets

(R. A. Mumber Ltd.)

WINNIPEG GRAIN

[illegible]

CHICAGO GRAIN

[illegible]

Dominion Bonds

(Burns & Wainwright, Ltd.)

[illegible]

DOMINION GUARANTEES

[illegible]

Foreign Bonds

(Burns & Wainwright, Ltd.)

[illegible]

(Above Prices in New York)

Metal Markets

NEW YORK, April 19 (AP)—Copper, steady, electrolytic, spot Conn Valley 12.00, export, f.a.s. New York 11.00 to 12.00. Tin, firm, spot and nearby, 52.50, forward, 52.00. Lead steady, East St. Louis, 5.70. Zinc, steady, East St. Louis, spot and forward, 7.25.

MONTREAL, April 19 (CP)—Spot: Copper, electrolytic, 12.75; tin 60 12 1-2; lead, 9.50, zinc, 8.65; antimony, 15.25, per 100 pounds f.o.b. Montreal, five-ton lots.

BAR GOLD

MONTREAL, April 19 (CP)—Bar gold in London was unchanged at $37.54 an ounce in Canadian funds, 168s in British funds representing the Bank of England's buying price. The fixed $35 Washington price amounted to $38.50 in Canadian funds.

Stocks and Bonds

(A. E. AMES & CO., VICTORIA)

[illegible]

	Bid	Asked
Imperial Tobacco	13	13
Int. Metal Indust. 6% pfd.	40	104
Int. Metal Indust. A	7	8
Int. Nickel	32	33
Int. Petroleum	13	14
Montreal L. H. & Power	31	31
Moore Corp.	44	40
Nat. Steel Car	32	[illegible]
Shawinigan W. & P.	13	4
Steel of Canada	64	66
Hiram Walker G. & W.	39	40
Bank of Montreal	180	
Royal Bank	133	[illegible]
Can. Bank Commerce	[illegible]	[illegible]

EGG MARKET

These prices are obtained daily from the office of the Dominion Government Poultry Produce Inspection Service, Victoria. G 2492.

To producer—

Grade "A" large	19
Grade "A" medium	18
Grade "A" pullet	16

Following are city wholesale—

Grade "A" large	23
Grade "A" medium	22
Grade "A" pullet	20

Corporation Bonds

(Burns & Wainwright, Ltd.)

[illegible]

Provincial Bonds

(Burns & Wainwright, Ltd.)

	Bid	Asked
Alberta 4 1953	[illegible]	[illegible]
Alberta 3 [illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
British Columbia 4 [illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
British Columbia 4 1953	99 50	102 50
British Columbia 5 1953	103 00	[illegible]
Manitoba 4 1960	[illegible]	21 00
Manitoba 5 1958	[illegible]	24 00
New Brunswick 4 1961	[illegible]	100 00
Nova Scotia 4 1952	[illegible]	[illegible]
Ontario 4 1950	100 50	[illegible]
Quebec 4½ 1958	[illegible]	102 [illegible]
Saskatchewan 3½ 1951	80 30	84 50
Saskatchewan 3½ 1952	[illegible]	81 50
Saskatchewan 3½ 1953	84 00	

FOREIGN EXCHANGE

OTTAWA, April 19 (CP)—Official Foreign Exchange Control Board rates unchanged at: United States dollar buying 10 per cent premium selling 11 per cent premium. Equivalent discounts on Canadian dollar in New York, buying 8.91 per cent, selling 9.09 per cent.

Sterling in Canadian funds, buying $4.43, selling $4.47.

FOURTH TIME UNLUCKY

General Sir Walter Kirke has a new story of the air war. A German pilot brought down in England said to the R.A.F. men:

"This is the fourth time I have been brought down in an enemy country. I was brought down in Poland and my conquering Fuehrer came along and liberated me in a day or two. The same thing happened in Belgium and in France, so why should I worry? My Fuehrer will soon be here in England."

"You had better tell your Fuehrer to hurry up," said the R.A.F. man. "You're sailing to Canada tomorrow."

FOREIGN EXCHANGE

NEW YORK, April 19 (AP)—Quotations in cents:

Official Canadian Control Board rates for United States dollars: Buying 10 per cent premium, selling 11 per cent premium equivalent to discounts on Canadian dollars in New York of buying 8.91 per cent, selling 9.09 per cent.

[illegible]

STERLING EXCHANGE

[illegible]

Montreal Stocks

(James Richardson & Sons)

[illegible]

	Bid	Asked
Canadian Breweries	[illegible]	[illegible]
Canadian Breweries pfd.	[illegible]	[illegible]
Canadian Vickers	[illegible]	[illegible]
Commercial Alcohols	[illegible]	[illegible]
Consol. Paper	[illegible]	[illegible]
Cub Aircraft	[illegible]	[illegible]
Donnaconna A	[illegible]	[illegible]
Fairchild	[illegible]	[illegible]
Fleet Aircraft	[illegible]	[illegible]
Ford A	[illegible]	[illegible]
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Page Hersey	[illegible]	[illegible]
Royalite Oil	[illegible]	[illegible]
Hiram Walker	[illegible]	[illegible]
Hiram Walker pfd.	[illegible]	[illegible]
Banks		
Bank of Commerce	140	150
Bank of Montreal	[illegible]	185
Banque Canadienne Nationale	140	

Toronto Stocks

MINING SECTION

(Island Investment Co.)

[illegible]

INDUSTRIAL SECTION

[illegible]

Averages

Metals 80.70, up .07.
Oils, [illegible], down .08.
Sales, 47,000.

MAKING IT CLEAR

A local clergyman, being dissatisfied with the milk supplied, had an interview with the milkman.

The latter was palpably nervous at the outset, so the divine joked with him briefly.

He said: "I only desired to point out to you that the milk is used exclusively for domestic purposes and never for christenings."

SLY DOG

He: Last night I dreamed I was married to the most beautiful girl in the world.

She: Oh, George! Were we happy?"

KEEPING UP TO DATE

First Pickpocket—What are you reading that fashion book for?

Second Pickpocket—Well, we've got to know where all the pockets are, haven't we?

According to Culbertson

The new lowered requirements for an opening one no trump bid in the Culbertson system involve a point which may seem small, but which nevertheless is worth stressing. I refer to the fact that in calculating no trump bids (or four-card suit bids) the presence of six or more honor cards adds a plus value to the total honor trick count.

The fact that a lowly ten spot may be indispensable is well illustrated in the following deal:

North, dealer.
Both sides vulnerable.
Rubber bridge.

NORTH
♠ K J 7 5
♥ A 6 4
♦ K 10 6
♣ A 7 6

WEST
♠ 9 6 4
♥ Q J 10 5
♦ J 7 2
♣ Q 5 3

EAST
♠ 10
♥ 9 8 3 2
♦ Q 8 5 4
♣ J 10 8 4

SOUTH
♠ A Q 9 3 2
♥ K 7
♦ A 6 3
♣ K 8 2

The bidding:

North	East	South	West
1 NT	Pass	3 ♠	Pass
4 ♠	Pass	6 ♠—final bid	

I do not mean to imply that North-South cannot reach a six spade contract except through an opening no trump by North. What I do want to emphasize is that the six spade contract may be fulfilled only because North holds the ten of diamonds instead of a lower card. Moreover, it is that very diamond ten which brings North's honor cards to the total of six, and it is the plus valuation of those six honor cards which, in connection with North's three-plus honor tricks, ekes out the three and a half honor trick requirement for a minimum no trump.

It is one thing to reach a sound slam, however, and quite another thing to fulfill it. The play is not difficult, but declarer must have a knowledge of good technique. West's opening lead is the heart queen. Declarer wins in either hand and draws trumps in three rounds. His next step must be to cash the top clubs and the other top heart, then (and this is the vital play) to eliminate dummy's third heart by ruffing. Now the stage is set for a play that has an odds-on chance for success. Declarer merely exits with the third club. He does not care which defender wins this trick nor what he returns. His entire plan rests on the strong probability that the diamond honors will be "split," one to each defender. If the defender who takes the third club leads another club or a heart, declarer's troubles are over. He ruffs in one hand while discarding a diamond from the other.

The more likely defence, however, will be for the defender to lead a diamond. Suppose it is West who makes this play. His low diamond lead is ducked in dummy and East's queen is taken by the ace, then a finesse is used against the jack. If East wins the third club and leads a diamond, declarer ducks and the result is the same. Needless to say, if West leads the diamond jack, dummy's king is played and the queen is finessed. If East leads the diamond queen this process is reversed.

TUESDAY'S HAND

South, dealer.
North-South vulnerable.
Rubber bridge.

NORTH
♠ 9
♥ 9 6 3
♦ J 8 3
♣ K Q 9 6 5 4

WEST
♠ 10 6 5 2
♥ Q 7 4 2
♦ Q 6
♣ J 8 3

EAST
♠ 8 4 2
♥ A J 10
♦ A 10 8 5 4
♣ A 10

SOUTH
♠ A K Q J 7
♥ K 8 5
♦ K 7 2
♣ 7 2

Mr. Culbertson will discuss this hand in Tuesday's column.

Trading Active With Prices Going Up on Vancouver Exchange

VANCOUVER, April 19 (CP)—Trading was fairly active and prices sought higher levels on the brief session of Vancouver Stock Exchange today. Transfers totaled 12,150 shares.

In the oils Anglo-Canadian was up 2 at 56 and Federated Petroleum at 25 firmed a cent from Friday's closing bid. United remained unchanged at 3 1-4.

Privateer Gold at 49 advanced 2 from Friday's bid and Premier Border closed fractionally higher at 2 1-2. Reno was unchanged at 10, while other golds and base metals were inactive.

VANCOUVER QUOTATIONS

(Mara, Barr & Co. Ltd.)

Oils

	Bid	Asked
Amalgamated	[illegible]	[illegible]
[illegible]	04	05
Anglo-Canadian	[illegible]	56
A P Con	[illegible]	[illegible]
British Dominion	[illegible]	
C. & E. Corpn.	[illegible]	[illegible]
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
[illegible]	20	
[illegible]	14	10
Madison	[illegible]	01½
Mar Jon	[illegible]	[illegible]
[illegible]		04
McDougall Segur	05	
[illegible]	04	[illegible]
Model	[illegible]	
Monarch		
Pacific Pete		
Prairie Royalties	[illegible]	
Royal Canadian	[illegible]	
[illegible]	[illegible]	
[illegible]	[illegible]	
Venada	03	
[illegible]		40

Mines

[illegible]

Miscellaneous

[illegible]

Radio Programmes

Summary of Schedule of Victoria and Other Pacific Coast Stations

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4:45 p.m.—See Books
5:00 p.m.—Monitor Comment.
5:10 p.m.—Old Time Praise
[illegible]—Happy Birthday Party
[illegible]—News Summary
[illegible]—Stardust
7:00 p.m.—Matinee
7:30 a.m.—Women's Ambulance Corps
7:45 a.m.—Dance Time
8:00 p.m.—Monday at Eight

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BAND MAGAZINE TO BE PUBLISHED

A magazine interesting alike to the general public and parents and friends of Victoria Boys' Band musicians is expected to be ready for distribution in a month or six weeks.

John Symonds, president of the boys' committee, said at the last meeting that the band's personnel plans to publish the new magazine. Jack Taylor, treasurer, reported that the boys had raised considerable money for the band fund by making and selling useful articles and candy.

David Burden, the secretary, announced the name of Kenneth Bishop had been added to the committee.

THE COMMITTEE

The members are: President, John Symonds; vice-president, Jim Parlane; secretary, David Burden; treasurer, Jack Taylor; librarians, Keith Littler, John Mackie, Bill Robinson and Harvey Bragg.

The secretary reports over forty engagements have been fulfilled. On May 1 the boys will play at Esquimalt and on Sunday, April 27, at the K. of C. Hall for the troops.

With thirty-two boys now playing and ten more learning, it is probable there will be nearly fifty boys playing at the end of the Summer.

LIBERAL ASSOCIATION ELECTS PRESIDENT

PORT ALBERNI, April 19 (CP)—D. O'Brien was elected president of the Port Alberni Liberal Association at the annual meeting here Friday, succeeding J. Mowat.

O. Gravell was appointed first vice-president; W. Burnip, second vice-president; A. E. Johnson, treasurer, and I. Wilson, secretary. Directors elected included B. Gregory, J. Z. Blower Sr., I. Woodford, T. Peterson and J. Dadds.

Prime Minister Mackenzie King was named honorary president, Premier T. D. Pattullo first honorary vice-president and Hon. George S. Pearson, Minister of Labor, second honorary vice-president.

MAP SHOWING THE INTER-CITY ROUTES OF VANCOUVER ISLAND COACH LINES, LIMITED

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*6.30 p.m. - 8.45 p.m.
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1.45 p.m. - 8.45 p.m.
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†3.00 p.m.
*Daily Except Sun. †Sun. Only

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Magazine Features

NO. 111—EIGHTY-THIRD YEAR VICTORIA, BRITISH COLUMBIA, SUNDAY, APRIL 20, 1941

1 — One of the private rooms
2 — A corner of the lounge for guest or patient
3 — A nurse at one of the semi-private wards
4 — Exterior view of the hospital showing Burdett Avenue and Vancouver Street elevations
5 — The admitting office and nurse in charge
6 — The kitchen with all modern appliances
7 — The altar in the chapel
8 — The main entrance on Burdett Avenue

By FRANCES BURR CANAVAN

AFTER many months of skilled workmanship there now stands completed at the corner of Vancouver Street and Burdette Avenue an impressive and valuable addition to the institutional life of Victoria. Mount St. Mary, an extension to St. Joseph's Hospital, opens its doors to convalescent patients and as a home for elderly guests.

Mount St. Mary was designed and supervised by H. Whittaker, chief architect of the Provincial Public Works Department, and staff. Archie Sullivan, contractor, Vancouver, carried out the work with expert help. To all of whom the Sisters of St. Ann are deeply grateful and appreciative of the careful attention to detail so evident in every part of the finished work.

This modern, fireproof, five-story building, providing one hundred beds, was erected at a cost of $200,000 by the Sisters of St. Ann, will fill a very real need in present-day emergencies. A brief story of this pioneer order, in Victoria since 1873, may be of interest.

Sisters of St. Ann

THE Sisters of St. Ann are a religious community founded at Vendreuil, in the Province of Quebec, in 1850 by Marie Esther Bureau Blondin, venerated by her community as Mother Mary Ann. The Sisters of St. Ann became an incorporated body in the Province of British Columbia in 1892, though they had originally arrived here in 1858, when the city was a Hudson's Bay fort, and had immediately opened a school, which has since grown into the present St. Ann's Academy. The Sisters came in answer to the call of the first Bishop of Vancouver Island, Rev. Modeste Demers, and the care of the sick in their homes engaged their charitable devotedness of the Sisters from the beginning. Finally urged by Rev. Charles J. Seghers, successor to Bishop Demers, and by the medical men of the city, headed by their patron and friend, Dr. John Sebastian Helmcken, the Sisters of St. Ann opened St. Joseph's Hospital in 1873. St. Joseph's Villa, at the corner of Rupert and Humboldt Streets, is a recently-built annex for tubercular patients. Replacing Vernon Villa on the same property, this and the fully modern Nurses' Home, nearby, rounds out their successful endeavors in the cause of health in the city of Victoria.

The location of Mount St. Mary, five minutes' walking distance from the centre of the town, and Beacon Hill Park, affords ideal surroundings. The site, a walled garden bounded by Burdett Avenue, Vancouver and McClure Streets, held an important place in Victoria of other days. It is peculiarly fitting that the Sisters of St. Ann, who are not only makers of history but preserves of historic sites, should have secured this property which was the home of the Harris family. Here in 1890 a beautiful house designed by Tiarchs, a former well-known architect, was built for Dennis Harris, C.E., and named by him "Easton House" after the estate of his grandfather in England. Mrs. Dennis Harris was the youngest daughter of Sir James and Lady Douglas, and the Harris children spent much of their early childhood in this sheltered garden. Years later when the family had left Easton House, it became under the title "Burdett House" successively a pension, an apartment house, and for a short time the residence of the Christian Brothers of Ireland. It saw service too as an improvised hospital during the flu epidemic following the Great War, and the Sisters of St. Ann were among those who helped to nurse the many cases housed there. More recently when unoccupied, the house was damaged by fire and the ruins were torn down. Then the property became an overgrown jungle. Now the gardens which were originally very lovely, terraced down to McClure Street, are being restored and an asphalt driveway made in from McClure Street.

On Firm Foundation

A BUILDING boom was in progress in Victoria when Easton House was built, and all the soil for the garden was brought by horse teams from the excavations for business blocks in the town. The property was one huge rock, so the foundation was already there for Mount St. Mary as it had been for the original house. Because of this rock formation there was no necessity for a basement, and all the doors on the ground floor of Mount St. Mary open out into the garden. The doors at the ends of the long portion of the building, being at the foot of enclosed stairways, give splendid exit as fire escapes. Nothing has been overlooked by architect or contractors in the plans or their development and a more compact yet spacious structure would be difficult to imagine. Entering the wide front doors from a flight of granite steps one finds oneself in a shallow vestibule, at the right is the office and at the left an attractive reception room. Double glass doors lead into the main lounge invitingly furnished, and from which a gracefully curving stairway rises at the right. Directly facing the front door a triple archway opens on to the main corridor, where the chapel is the centre of the house, simple and dignified in all its appointments.

Throughout the building the floors are of terrazzo in the more important rooms, and of mastic tile in the less used apartments. The walls are of cream enamel, and Venetian blinds are used for all the windows. Everywhere there is a delightful sense of freshness, space and light. Naturally there are no operating rooms or clinics, but a very complete little surgical suite has been thoughtfully planned for any emergency, which might arise on the main floor there are administrative offices, dining-rooms and dressing-rooms, and nurses' stations. In the Vancouver Street wing, and the same holds good for the second and third floors also, there are seven semi-private rooms self contained, on the opposite side of the hall two five-bed wards with five separate steel lockers, bedside tables with connections for lamp, radio and nurses' call. These wards are connected by a passage way with pedi-baths and all conveniences, model metal sink, sterilizers and steam heater, cupboards for supplies and service trolley. There are seven two-bed rooms with private washrooms, two linen presses on each floor with aerial vents, each floor has its own diet kitchen with dining-room adjoining for the patients or guests of that floor. The dining-rooms are cheerfully curtained, with attractive small tables, and there is a larger dining-room in the Burdett wing, for special occasions.

Suites of Rooms

THE second and third floors have each a corresponding lounge over the main lounge, for the use of patients and guests, and a delightful sunroom facing south. Rooms on these floors are arranged in suites, if desired these may contain bedroom, sitting-room and bath, or two bedrooms, sitting-room and bath, all facing south. There are semi-private wards as well, and all bedrooms have hot and cold water. The top floor gives accommodation to the Sisters and nursing staff, living and sleeping quarters, and a large solarium in the centre for the use of patients and guests, commands a panoramic view of park lands sea and mountains, of unsurpassed loveliness.

The ground floor space is given to kitchen, storage and utility. The kitchen is admirably lighted and air and contains three electric refrigerators operated from the main plant, three store rooms, for groceries, canned fruits and vegetables, mostly home-made, staples and supplies. The kitchen proper is fitted with two large six ranges with canopy for ventilation, meritted hot-water tank, one three-compartment steam cooker, two twenty-gallon steam kettles, a five compartment steam plate and food warmer, electric toast maker and meat slicer. The centre kitchen table is covered with stainless steel, there are vegetable sinks for dish washing, with model metal sinks and drainboards. Off the kitchen is the Sisters' staff dining-room, with its own pantry. The bakery contains a gas bake oven with a capacity of sixty five loaves, a Hobart mixer, sink, bins and cupboards. Adjoining the bakery is the pastry room. A vegetable room for the preparation of vegetables is fitted with an electric potato peeler and other facilities. Along the same corridor are found the dining-room for staff figures, and the middle dining room, which is furnished as a cosy sitting room at one end, chiefly owned by nurses. Sisters and nurses of the staff are all provided here. In the Vancouver Street wing there are sleeping quarters with shower, for the men employed also a Chinaman's room. While the laundry service for Mount St. Mary is provided at St. Joseph's Hospital, a special small laundry has been equipped for the use of guests who may care to avail themselves of this privilege. There is a special box room for storage of trunks, etc. A workshop has also been built, where carpentering or other hobbies may be carried on at the pleasure of patients or guests.

The boiler room contains the heating plant, comprising two fireman, steam boiler with jacket, 300-gallon tank, and 300-gallon expansion tank, enclosed coal bins and coal chute from outside. The Turnbull electric elevator and electric

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Showery Weather in the Park

By Robert Connell

SATURDAY afternoon was a little better than the morning, but still between the gleams came light showers lipping before a cool, blustery wind. So an distant fields seemed too grey and damp I took myself to Beacon Hill Park, which is of course, pre-eminently the park. In a measure it is still possible to recapture something of the scene as it was in 1842. The coastline has scarcely changed and there are fire, Douglas and balsam, as well as oaks in the park that were no mean trees at that time, and as you shall see the succession of Spring wild flowers has not died out. But what a change in other respects. The broom, for example, is an intruder, soon to be driven out, however, by the Californian yellow lupine which is already densely clothing the summits of the cliffs. And then how many trees and shrubs have been introduced, to say nothing of innumerable cultivated flowering plants and their inseparable companions, the European weeds. Lakelets and rose gardens, a little trickling stream and smooth green lawns, a rudimentary menagerie and aviary have worn down the wildness, and if men of the Hudson's Bay Company party possessed the gift of second sight and audition they might have seen not only the bowling green and heard the musical clock, but, spectator strange indeed, the ladies' green and its enthusiastic players. What they would have thought of that I leave to the imagination of those of my readers who knew the men who were old when they were but laddies.

Beacon Hill Park, like Mount Douglas Park, was the fruit of a desire to keep something of the ancient scene for the generations to come, and on the whole the trust has been well kept. I come up from the northwest corner over the still untamed turf where out of the green grass an outcrop of the local igneous rock presents just the kind of wild primeval strength that would remind the little party of H.B.C. men of the mountains and moorlands of their homelands. It is a wild ragged place of whinstone whose crevices are almost destitute of plant life as if its component minerals were too harsh for leaves and flowers. A random one comes on the raw damp air from as pretty a bank of foliage as can be seen in a day's journey. Leaves as feathery as the most delicate of fern fronds and with a certain massiveness of curvature such as fern do not possess, for with them each frond develops its own arc, and of a rich dark green that is also rarely if ever seen among ferns; these go with the strange scent. It is our old enemy of the vacant lot and garden, the poison hemlock, here growing in a great bed where its undoubted beauty can be well seen and no harm can be done except by way of seed dispersal. When the flat white clusters or umbels of flowers appear the hemlock bed will be still more beautiful, for beauty and ill reputation not infrequently go together among plants as elsewhere.

Wild Flowers at Home

BUT poison hemlock is by no means all that is to be seen of plants. The stretches of grassland around the rocks, above and below them, are the natural home of many of our wild flowers, and Spring sees them in variety as well as numbers. They show themselves from the very edge of the park where they spring from the city street to the winding footpath or the turf itself. The lilies are represented by the white erythronium or fawn-lily, so-called because of its spotted leaf, and by the earlier camass, the one with the lower segment of the flower standing notably apart from the other five. I notice from my record that this camass was in bloom in Hill 60, as early as March 6, at the Uplands, and was still to be found in bloom there two months later, a fact which suggests early and long-drawn-out Spring of that year. The later species known as Leichtlin's camass is taller, has the flower parts regularly arranged, and as they wither these parts twist themselves about the seed-pod. The common field buttercup or Western ranunculus enlivens the grass with its gleaming golden yellow flowers, some of which have as many as eight or nine petals. Of an even brighter yellow, but without the shining quality, are the flat-flower-cluster of the sulphurweed or sulphurwort, an umbelliferous plant whose genus has to its credit with the botanists at least three Latin names. Henry calls it Lomatium, and this particular species is Lomatium, referring to the urticulate or bladder-like swelling of the leaf-stalk. The yellow flower-head is first seen at the surface of the ground when the leaves are little more than green hairs, but eventually the plant may grow a foot or more in height.

The common or ribwort plantain is plentiful but has not reached the richness of growth we see later on when in some places the oval black heads are no longer single but in clusters of three or four and the stems correspondingly thick. This is the plant with which schoolboys in the Old Land used to play a variety of the game of "Conquerors," but consistant endeavoring to be first to snap off the head of his opponent's plantain from its stalk. The plant had once a well-established reputation as food for sheep and is known in Britain as ribgrass, although it is, of course, not a true grass. Like some other good things it becomes a nuisance and ousts more valuable plants. It is an introduced weed which has come here with grass, clover, and other seeds. Of bazar ground the little pink-flowered stork's-bill, another weed, with its fern-like leaf grows. In one open place by the path is a dark purplish brown mossy patch growing at an unusually little native plant. Many of its family are large and conspicuous and it is hard to realise the relationship. Who would imagine that this dwarf is a connection of the large and showy foxglove, mimulus, snapdragon and penstemon? But it is. The "fuzz" is made up of many crowded plants, each about two inches high with its greenness confined to the leaves about the base. All the leaves are very finely divided so that the plant seems to be clothed in rather coarse black hairs at a first glance. The flowers are so dark as to be almost black, actually they are dark purplish brown above and yellowish below, but they are not more than an eighth of an inch long and consequently rather elusive to the naked eye among the dark foliage. The little plant known as the dwarf orthocarpus or owl's-clover belongs to a genus of showier plants of which we have five species here, closely related to the Indian paint-brushes or Castilleja, so well known for their brilliant colors.

The pretty fringe-cup, or as children call it, ragged robin, blooms in great masses and the pink of its own shared with no other plant. This, with the relatively large size of the prominently-veined petals and the reddish glands that cover the stem, makes it very easy to recognize. By one of the oddities of systematic botany this plant is called Tellima parviflora, while the tall fringe-cup with more and rather inconspicuous flowers is known as T. grandiflora. More plentiful is a true saxifrage with white flowers and of a rather coarse habit known as saxifrage integrifolia.

The common camass, Zygadenus venenosus, also is up and one plant is already in blossom. It has very little resemblance to the lone camass; the flowers are greatly smaller and are clustered rather closely together.

Among the Colonists

A STEP takes you from the wild things to the primroses and daffodils growing in all their glory. Looking at the former I am always reminded of them as seen in English woodlands, flooding the open spaces with their color and scent, where we gathered them by great basketfuls to send to relatives and friends. Here our dry Summers limit their possibilities of becoming really wild things.

Curously enough we have not a single wild primula on this Island or west of the Selkirks, nor is there one so far as I know north of California. In the Rockies and Selkirks are two species, both dwellers in moist places. One of them, Primula ameriana, I have seen to great profusion in Alberta, a foot high, with its lavender flowers in umbels like those of the gardener's primulas. Thomas Campbell has a little-known poem on "Field Flowers" in which he says:

"Ye field flowers! the gardens eclipse you,
'Cause you,
Yet wildings of nature, I dote upon you,
For ye welt me to Summers of old,
When the earth teemed around me with fairy delight,
And when daisies and buttercups gladdened my sight
Like treasures of silver and gold.

I love you for beckoning me back into dreams
Of the blue Highland mountains and echoting streams,
And of birchen glades breathing their balm;
While the deer was seen glancing in sunshine remote,
And the deep mellow crush of the woodpigeon's note
Made music that sweetened the calm "

Now the yellow primrose and the cowslip I think never lose to people from the British Isles their character of "wildings," and so always carry with them their associations with their native soil. In the same way I am sure that anyone from Vancouver Island who in an English garden came upon a fawn-lily or a trillium, flowering durnest or Western dogwood, would be carried back on a wave of emotion to his home by the Pacific waves.

A Corner of Beacon Hill Park, October 1901

beauties to find,
When the magic of Nature first breathed on his mind,
And their blossoms were part of the spell.

I recall the pleasure I got when on the hillsides of Santa Clara County, California, I came on flowers and trees related to those I knew around Victoria, and when they were identical in species the delight was all the greater. I have already told how thrilled I was when I came upon our large-leaved maple in a canyon bottom, and although the ocean-spray there is by no means as lovely as here, yet its creamy racemes seemed to welcome you even more definitely than the arbutus trees of the Santa Cruz Mountains. It is the feeling that Carey the noted missionary had when he saw the first English daisy blossoming on Indian soil, even a dandelion would take on new beauty if you came across it in a land where it was a stranger like yourself. So it is easy to understand the pleasure we all find in the green grass near the children's swings where sometimes the white flowers of the daisy shine like little stars

Birds and Beasts

THE Kermode bear seems neither little nor white, half sitting, half lying in the one cool of the cage. Behind the corner the Oriental pheasants are out in a paving gleam of sunshine that lights up their white and gold and black and all the varied patterns worked on their feathers. In one cage a rat is busy with some of the sub-tropical fruit the beady eye watches me for some minutes, but when I move on I see it come off into the dark recesses of the back premises. Like the primroses and daffodils, the rat is a stranger and a colonist, but he calls up quite a different class of associations. I think at sight of him of a battle in an old barn in Yorkshire where the rat-catcher with his ferreta was called in to make some reduction in the plague, and watchfully and patiently were waited for the prey. Fortunately rats are less common than they used to be in and about Victoria. At some places within five miles of the City Hall it was possible years ago to see scores of them in broad daylight.

No deer are visible in the enclosure, but the cranes are there, and a pair of mallards who come together towards the visitor as if in anticipation of customary favors. Down by the pool many mallards and baldpates are to be seen. The latter are much the more active and it is beautiful to watch their swift and graceful flight as they rise, circle about, and then drop again to the water. The charm is increased by the gusty wind and the light showers through which they move.

Down by the artificial burn with its rock-built sides the ferns are doubling their Spring aspect when, being a living thing, changes with the passing days. At present most of the larger ones are like flutters of shepherds' crooks adorned with golden flagger. A solitary mallard drake stands on the bank at one place as contrastingly and forlornly as any rejected lover. Is there behind that patient pose some tragedy of the duck world? Or is it only that he has just enjoyed a solitary meal and has feasted not wisely but too well?

There is a scent of sweetbrier in the air and I follow it up to some bushes rich from base to crown in odoriferous leaves. There is an old Scots' song of a bonnie days that begins: "There grows a bonnie brier bush in our kailyard", and how often one has sent a smell like it passing cottages and farmyards. Chaucer mentions its sweetness, and in more modern times Robinson in "The Miller's Garden" speaks very highly of it. It would be more plentiful about Victoria were it not for the hedge pest that attacks it with its galls. Colwood is probably the most fruitful spot for this delightful rose, notable in its peculiarly bright pink and yellowish-green leaves as well as for its old-fashioned scent. My earliest recollection of it gathers round a bush by the roadside between Linlithgow and Blackness, and when later I went off to school in England I found solace in a bush that grew on the terrace where we gathered on Sunday afternoons in pairs. The familiar scent seemed somehow to alleviate the first pangs of homesickness. Who brought the sweetbrier to Victoria first I have never heard, he should be honored as a benefactor.

About the sweetbrier and other bushes numbers of robins appear and disappear. Like the wild flowers, they take us back through the centuries. Long ago they have played about when the Songhees came up from the village to attend to the wildfowl pits that rose above the cliffs of what is now Dallas Road, and long before that doubtless. The old woods must have grown up with their recurring Spring and Summer songs among the oaks and fire. And when the bush-nest disappeared and the beacon-light of the new race shone nightly from the hill the robins still came and went. Even the public sports, the race track, cricket and football fields, and bowling greens, made no difference to the robins, though the wild flowers were driven back a little by lawns and flower beds, strange shrubberies and exotic trees. Perhaps the wild things, birds and plants forgave for the sake of the little lakes that appeared below the northward slope and for the grateful moisture thus brought to the other-time drought of Summer.

An Unknown Guest Foils Helen's Detective Technique

A Helen and Warren Story

By MABEL HERBERT URNER

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"DEAR, try to think! You've no idea who she is?"

"Search me!" Warren tossed back the letter. "Guess someone I never met."

"But she says 'Kindest regards to Mr. Curtis.' Oh, I hoped you'd know."

"You're the family sleuth," opening his evening paper. "Dope it out—and forget it."

"No, no, she expects me to phone her," Helen at the bookcase desk. "Even gives the hotel number."

The mystifying note in the afternoon mail. Again puzzling over it.

Just a line to say I'm in town, stopping at the Beoville. I would love to have a glimpse of you. Will be here for several days.

And signed—Agnes Floyd! Not even the clue of Miss or Mrs!

"From out of town. Perhaps some steamer acquaintance——"

"Might be," shrugged Warren. "You always gush and ask 'em to look us up when they're in New York."

"I know, and whether I want them to or not!" ruefully. "Just a nice way of saying good-bye. Dear, do help me think who she is!"

"Why not call up and ask?" nonchalantly direct. "Say you can't place her name."

"Oh, I couldn't! Not make her feel she's forgotten. Remembering names—supposed to be the first principle in making friends."

"Then I must be fair and popular! Rotten on names. Depend on you—and at the office, Miss Martin. On my own I just ask."

"And no one resents it from you!" her envious admiration. "But I'd be so grateful! I'd feel they'd resent it—and they would!"

Still studying the baffling letter. A spun no her desire to persistence.

Staying at the Beoville. Any clue from that? A quiet, semi-residential hotel.

"Dear, our last evening——" to a kindly couple with their deck chairs by ours!"

"Nice people. From Buffalo, weren't they?" filling his pipe. "Was Floyd the name?"

"I think so. Remember how they urged us to visit them? Oh, I'll phone her right now! Asked her for dinner tomorrow."

"Why the rush? Can't you write her?"

"But only here a few days. And people like to plan their time——"

Impulsively dialing the Beoville. A moment's wait for the room connection. Yes, was she in!

"Oh, this is Mrs. Curtis. Your note came this afternoon. . . . Not at all, we'd love to see you. If Mr. Floyd with you?

Regrets that he wasn't able to go away. And sorry she couldn't coma to dinner tomorrow—a previous engagement.

"Perhaps you can come the next evening? . . . You can? Oh, that's fine"

Then turning from the telephone.

"Dear, she's coming now! He's not with her."

"Hope she doesn't stay late," he yawned. "I had a tough day."

Helen's usual company preparations. A straightening-about flurry.

Out to the kitchen. The maid just finishing the dinner dishes.

"But you needn't stay, Anna," getting out the Sheffield tray "I'll receive her."

Assorted wafers, salted nuts, the demiteitre, glasses—— A quickly-set tray.

"That's too heavy for you, ma'am. I'll take it in," Anna pleased at not having to give up tonight's "movie."

Almost 6:30 when Mrs. Floyd arrived.

Not the seek-chair acquaintance from Buffalo! Not tall, regal, grey-haired.

Instead, rather short, stocky, much younger! An undistinguished navy suit and oxfords. Yet somehow familiar——

Who was she? Where had they met her? A precarious situation.

Greeting her with cover-up effusions, Helen strained for hostess poise.

Did Mrs. Floyd recognize her? Cordial, as always. But maddeningly inscrutable!

"How's Mr. Floyd?" taking up his pipe.

"Very well, but he couldn't leave. This is his busy season."

"Busy season? Yet that no enlightening Helen's strategic questions about her trip. But no clue in her plans—the usual shopping a few plays.

"Your first stay at the Beoville?" still angling.

"Yes, it's nice and quiet. And central." "You don't get to New York very often? How long has it been?"

"We were here last Fall. But Mr. Floyd got the surfeit and we hardly left the hotel."

Serenely uninformative! Warren's amused grin at the futile questionnaire.

"Will you have port or sherry?" baffled, she turned to the tray.

"Sherry, please. I don't see Pussy Purr-Mew." A questing glance around the library. "She's all right, I hope?"

"Oh, yes," passing the nuts and wafers. "I'll bring her in."

Then she knew Pussy Purr-Mew! That meant here before. Another point to pursue—an added challenge to her detective urge.

The elusive Persian cornered in the kitchen. Carried protesting to the library.

Usually her snobbish favore only for evening-gowned guests. But after preliminary sniff, a purring response to Mrs. Floyd's overtures.

"You have a cat, haven't you?" another try for clues.

"Yes, indeed—Angorsa. And a Sealyham puppy. It's rather lonely out there. And I miss my work."

Out there—and lonely. That meant a recent move! From where? And her giving up work! What kind of work?

"Yes, I'm sure you must miss it. Such interesting work! And you were so active."

"Active, yes."

"And now with Mr. Floyd away so often—very little to do. But at least I've the dog and the Angorsa. I've been promised a Siamese kitten, too."

A real animal lover! Helen warming to her. More than ever careful—not to betray they didn't know her!

"She's beautifully shaded," coaxing Pussy Purr-Mew to her lap. "Have you shown her lately?"

"No, she hates the shows—so nervous. And sulks for days after. But you know she won several trophies—a cup and two blue ribbons?"

"Yes, you showed them to me," stroking the plumy tail.

"Oh, I'd forgotten. Wasn't that some time ago?"

"The first time I was here. Pussy was very shy with me then. Weren't you? massaging a relaxed paw.

Another pleasant but uninformative half-hour. Discussing cats, different breeds and their personalities.

Then reluctantly the unidentified caller lifted Pussy Purr-Mew from her lap.

"I've so enjoyed being with you. But I've a lot to do tomorrow."

"Next time you must come for dinner," always Helen's be-hospitable impulse. "And bring Mr. Floyd."

"Thank you, he'd like very much to come," drawing on her pigskin gloves.

Helen seeing her out to the elevator. A friendly come-again leave-taking.

But back in the library, her helpless arms-flung gesture.

"And still I don't know! But I'm sure she didn't suspect."

"You put it over great!" chuckled Warren.

"Oh, I was hoping you'd recognize her——"

"No, I'm stumped! At any rate, she didn't stay late," he yawned. "Now come on, Kitten. I've an early-morning appointment."

Brushing her hair for the night, Helen musing over the meagre clues. When he came from the bathroom, her summing up.

"This is what we know: She used to work—and misses it. She's been here before. We've never met her husband—— Oh, then it's her maiden name we should know!"

"Not so blamed important if we don't," kicking off his slippers.

"You might've tried to help," a swift cold-creaming. "You hardly said a thing."

"Huh, what's all your pumping get you?" slumping into bed.

"I know, but I had to be careful! Think how awkward if she'd found we didn't know her. And after pretending we did!"

"You'd have been in for some tall explaining! Now make it snappy and get off these lights."

"Whoever she is, she loves animals. And I love her for that! Oh, nothing more tantalizing than trying to place someone—and can't!"

"And I'm not so blamed curious!" blunching up the covers. "But your persistence—once you're on a trail!"

"It may come in the morning. Things often do when I go to sleep thinking of them."

"Well, if you keep puttering around—neither of us'll go to sleep!"

The lights soon off, the windows open, she slipped into bed. But wide awake, her tenacious mind still working on the few clues.

Someone who had married a businessman and moved out of town. Here more than once—Pussy Purr-Mew's prime seen "the first time." She missed her work. But what work? And loved animals—knew a lot about them——

A revealing flash! Excitedly sitting up. "Dear! Dear, I have it!"

"Eh?" a sleepy rumble

"I know now who she is!" triumphantly.

"For the love of Lulu!" he exploded. "Wake me up to tell me that?"

"Oh, I didn't think you'd be asleep so soon. Agnes Davis!"

"Who the devil's that?"

"The woman we boarded Pussy Purr-Mew with—for two Summers!"

"By Cecsar, Kitten, that's right!" A creak of springs as he turned. "Had a pet boarding place in Yonkers——"

"Then married a Mr. Floyd—I remember it all now. And moved to Kansas"

"That's a riot!" his drowsy chuckle, "Peasant old boarding-house keeper! And you thought someone we met on the steamer."

"Oh, I'm glad she didn't suspect. She was awfully good to Pussy Purr-Mew——"

"M-m," a muffled mumble

"Well, now I know," curling down, "I can go to sleep!"

"And maybe you'll let me! Your darned persistence—kept at it till you had me spotted. But why wake me up?" he grumped. "I could've waited till morning for that news bulletin!"

Masks for Horses

A DEMONSTRATION of gas masks for horses was given recently at the Royal Veterinary College in London. Three animals who gave the demonstration made no protest whatever when the masks were placed on their noses and trotted around, apparently without discomfort.

The masks or breathing bags, are composed of many layers of impregnated cotton towelling. Two were reminiscent of milliners' hat-boxes and the horses must have thought them a new kind of nosebag. In each case, the animal's jaw was left free, since a horse breathes only through its nostrils.

The third respirator was of the charcoal box type. This somewhat resembles a human's gas mask and is said to last longer than the cotton ones. Transparent eye shields, as a protection against mustard gas, were also shown, and one horse appeared capariisoned in a white material to protect its skin from the same deadly gas.

Ironside, Buchan's Hero

TORONTO.—The exploits of Richard Hannay, hero of John Buchan's Greenmantle series and "The 39 Steps," were based on the career of Field Marshal Lord Ironside, former chief of the Imperial General Staff, it is revealed in Howard Swiggett's introduction to the last novel by the former Governor-General of Canada, "Sick Heart River," published by Musson.

In his introduction, Swiggett says that Harold Hutchison, Britian M.P., wrote in Foreign Affairs last July that the second Lord Tweedsmuir was presented to Lord (then Air Edmund) Ironside during a review of the 1st Canadian Division at Aldershot. Lord Tweedsmuir at that time told Lord Ironside that Hannay's exploits had been based on the field marshal's career.

English Memories

By Dora Kitto

Then scattered o'er the earliest of the year
By hands unseen are showers of violets found
The redbreast loves to build and warble there
And little footsteps lightly print the ground
—(Pembroke MSS verse omitted in final rendering of Gray's Elegy.)

Above is shown one of the twenty-four vans in the service of the Anglican Church Mission Caravan which take to the road of Western Canada from New Westminster to Winnipeg. One of the missionaries, who is also the van driver, is shown in the picture. These workers, without pay, carry the Gospel to out of the way places on the Prairies and in the Coast region.

THERE is only one England! Shady, narrow lanes, climbing, down-dipping, with steep primrose banks; red Devonshire soil, rocky shores, the white Kentish cliffs, yellow sand, the hills and rich valleys, the downs, the moors, the wolds, the English woods with carpets of yellow mauve, blue and white. The carpets are woven in patterns of daffodils, crocuses, bluebells, snowdrops and tinier flowers. This is rural England—a country which has established its position through countless centuries of history and tradition. The defending earthworks, the stone forts, the baronial castles, the abbeys and churches, the peaceful manor houses, the farmsteads, the humble cottages with thatched roofs and flower-filled gardens, tell their own story. There are little silent pools and talkative streams which stir the forget-me-nots and water weeds as they pass; gently winding rivers, meadow land and parkland—indications of a more ancient England of unwritten history. Even today one might trace the world's oldest road the green Ridgeway, which is a mute tribute to the ingenuity and labor of antiquity, defended by forts and castles, and occupied in turn by Britons, Romans, Saxons, Danes, Normans.

Victorian England

HERE and there in its journey from east to west, despite sudden encroachments, the ancient Ridgeway can be traced for nearly its entire length. Strange figures have crossed and recrossed the narrow trackways, the Roman roads, they have forded the streams, built themselves bridges, lighted their beacon fires on the hills, kept their lookouts, fished, hunted, traded, fought, labored and started on their long pilgrimages, for gradually this was becoming the England of Chaucer and Caxton, of Shakespeare, Milton, Bunyan, Gray and Coleridge, the England that was to produce the highlights of literature, that was to emerge in the mid-nineteenth century as Victorian England.

In the young queen's early reign this England, approaching its halcyon period, was a country of definitely changing conditions. For two centuries no war had been fought on its soil. The Napoleonic cataclysm was over. America had earned her independence. In a time ripe for uplift a girl ruler was establishing a court more honorable than any that had existed for generations. There was to be found, too, a class of persons of distinction who recognized the duties and obligations of rank and whose philanthropies were binding upon themselves. Among the most altruistic of philanthropists was the beloved seventh Earl of Shaftesbury, friend of the coster, the flower girl, the chimney sweep, the factory worker, shoeblack and ragamuffin—the outspoken champion of abused and tortured animals. By reason of the universal regard in which he was held, a special seat was reserved for him in the House of Lords—whatever party was in power—and memorials to his memory have been erected in Regent Circus and Piccadilly Circus. Few have more honorably fulfilled the obligations of a high position and the power of his personality was such that nothing small or mean lived in his presence. Worthily did he maintain the motto of a great house "Love—Serve."

Lofty Literature

THE age was becoming outspoken and unafraid in opinion, lofty in literature, ethically illustrious. No period in modern history can vie with its galaxy of great minds, great writers, philosophers and poets. It was an age of classic splendor which has now been sadly usurped by persons of less distinguished scholarship and genius. Only comparable with it in the world of letters was the great Elizabethan era.

The industrial progress which this twentieth century admires was, however, being markedly indicated, but still one could find the beautiful hand crafts of the shepherd, the furniture producer, the weaver or the lace maker. Machine-made goods had not eliminated those things which have a beauty and a personality all their own, and which no mechanically-produced article can claim.

Changing Face of Country

THE face of the country had changed also. Fields with hedges—friendly refuge of birds and little creatures—were reminiscent of the days of Inclosure, when the strip-farming method was eliminated in favor of land held on tenancy, and when millions of acres were put under [illegible] minded and unprincipled persons, seeking wealth, had indulged in the practice of land grabbing. The hedgerows, nevertheless, were hung with wild roses and blackberries and decked with infinitely lovely gems of the humble flower world, but the mill wheels and the long, graceful sails turned less often in this England. Roads were becoming finely marked and railways were pushing their steely length this way and that. On the horizon loomed the ugly, rearing heads of industrial centres, disfiguring then, as now. Rightly or wrongly, poverty and wealth were regarded as dispensations of Providence, and poverty and wealth still stood side by side. Smart carriages and humbler peddlars' carts and barrows, farm wagons passed each other on the highways and the motor car—well, England had not acquired this mechanized mode of progress and the English had not quite discovered England!

Victorian Proprieties

IF some of the Victorian proprieties bordered on snobbishness and foolishness others were worthily recognized and sustained. The Great War and the present conflict have changed many things. What young woman of means in that earlier England would have dreamed of carrying a parcel larger than a packet of needles or answering her own front door bell, or leaving her house until the last glove button had been meticulously fastened? What young Victorian would have dreamed of nibbling ice cream out of a cone or smoking cigarettes at all, much less between courses at a meal? An invitation by note took longer in transit than a telephone message, the crackling fire under the copper boiler occupied the place of the modern electric washer but the clothes were not less clean, except where cleanliness was nearly impossible. Today we know that sanitation and cleanliness are the bulwarks of health. Who could be clean in poverty-stricken tenements, deprived of all decency and comfort? One of the greatest advances made in that age was the passing of a public health act, but it took long to put it into proper operation—in fact, there is much still to be done. The Victorian era was the outcome of things that had gone before, because all conditions are the outcome of some preceding cause. No growth is sudden, but growth there was—in trade, education, humane ideals, elevating standards and also to increasing love of [illegible] us, undue luxury is usually the undoing of any civilization.

There were precise Victorian Sundays when children put aside occupations and amusements that might be considered more injurious to character on that day than on the other six. Sunday was a day of religious services, "good" books and curtailed amusements—a day when one felt immense gratitude to Noah for building an ark that was not inconsistent with the day's pleasure, and for saving so many strange animals from destruction. Looking back, the distinctions between legitimate and illegitimate pursuits were somewhat finely drawn.

Still poverty jostled wealth and over this England hung no darkening war cloud, no warning of neglected duties towards one's fellow creatures, no warning of mistakes and errors for which one must inevitably pay, no indication of vanishing luxuries and doubtful enjoyments. We talked, as we shall probably always talk, of "Progress." Yet this England of written and unwritten story, this land of flowers and birds of indescribable loveliness, of fogs and winds and falling rain and hot Summer days was being shaped for a time of undreamed self-expression, when one would learn slowly and painfully to cast off selfishness, to embody heroism, to die honorably—if needs must be—to emerge purified. Whether the true import of these experiences will be recognised, time alone will show. The face of England has been changing through the centuries. Disfigured today, it will change yet again and none who knew that older England would find quite the same country of heart-moving memories. No individual can properly know a land, its habits, its people, save by living in it and with it, but the defence of this small England has become a stern reality and because its inhabitants know and love it, their hearts and minds are set on its preservation though some of the things that have gone hitherto to its shaping have vanished for ever, or live only in tradition. Having learned that the very existence of this rich heritage demands unselfishness, sympathy, brotherly co-operation, the sons of her sons will defend her and another and perhaps a finer England will emerge from the struggle.

Swiss Food Problems

IN order to increase home production the Swiss Federal Council has recently decreed that 50,000 additional hectares of land (1 hectare—2.47 acres) are to be planted with grain, vegetables and feed plants for cattle. Peasant families have been urged to become self-sufficient as far as grain for flour, vegetables and cattle feed are concerned.

In normal times Swiss farms supply 75 per cent of the country's food requirements, the remaining 25 per cent having to be imported. While the nation produces a surplus in farm and breeding cattle, cheese and condensed milk, it has a deficit in cereals, sugar, legumes and certain other vegetables. It relies entirely on imports for tea, coffee and rice.

In September, 1939, shortly after the outbreak of the European war, the Swiss Government decreed that commercial mills were henceforth to produce but one type of dark flour. An extraction of only 5 per cent of white flour and farina was permitted. This flour has been found suitable for cooking and baking. It contains more nourishment than the refined variety and is from 15 to 20 centimes per kilo (1 kilo—2 1-5 lbs) cheaper.

On April 1, 1939, Switzerland had more cattle than ever before. One year later difficulties began to make themselves felt in connection with the procuring of certain types of fodder. As a result the Government decreed that stocks of cattle and pigs, also poultry, had to be reduced somewhat. Here it must be remembered that Switzerland's militia army of over 500,000 men was mobilised at the outbreak of hostilities. When France fell in June, 1940, half of this force was demobilized, but Swiss dairies and farms are still greatly handicapped for workers. This situation has been relieved somewhat since, at the suggestion of the Government, school children and older students from the cities are helping out on handicapped farms during planting and harvesting time.

The Potato Crop

SWITZERLAND has a valuable asset in her potato crop. In this respect Professor Abderhalden, distinguished Swiss scientist, recently declared that potatoes deserve a high rank in human food. He explained that consumption of potatoes reduces the need for albumen. In Switzerland, in normal times, potatoes were used at the rate of ninety kilos per annum, per capita, in the city of Zurich the figure went even below fifty kilos during 1936-1937.

Potato cultivation and the uses of potatoes in Switzerland are to be systematically extended and improved. To begin with, more potatoes are now being "put in vinegar," to be fed to the cattle later on. Apparatus for this type of preserving is being placed at the disposal of farmers for a modest fee. Food experts have also ascertained that potato flour can easily be mixed with regular wheat flour up to 20 per cent.

Experiments to dehydrate potatoes on a large scale were already made during the first World War, but due to inadequate equipment they were not successful. Old Swiss peasants recommend the following simple method of dehydration as very satisfactory:

"First boil your potatoes, peel them when cool, then press them through a coarse sieve. Dry the fluffy potato mass in your tile oven after the bread baking is done, stir and turn often until the potatoes are a golden brown."

This procedure has enabled small farmers to store enough potatoes until the next harvest. The dehydrated product also has the advantage of being a convenient food to be taken along on hay-making trips. Dehydrated potatoes are equally suitable for frying or for soup. For this purpose they are soaked in water the night before. The director of a domestic science school in Berne tried out this simple method and obtained good results.

Dehydration Plant

DEHYDRATION of potatoes, vegetables and fruits can be accomplished quite successfully by individual householders. If extra firewood is not available, the work can be done by electric drying machines. A huge plant for the dehydration of vegetables and fruits has been established in a new building of the sugar beet factory at Aarberg, canton of Berne. This plant is capable of taking care of eight tons of vegetables and fruits per day. It is especially intended for the convenience of Central and Western Switzerland. Another similar plant is also operating in Eastern Switzerland.

The Federal Department for Food Supplies in Wartime at Berne emphasized the many advantages of dehydration last Summer, issuing at the same time a pamphlet with all the necessary directions. At a demonstration dinner served to some seventy guests the entree consisted of a spinach dish for which 500 grams of this vegetable in dehydrated form proved sufficient. With the main course, which was passed around two or three times, only four kilos of dehydrated string beans were necessary.

The highly nutritious dried fruits are treasured throughout Switzerland. They are a special delicacy in mountain regions where fruit does not grow. Quartered and dehydrated apples cooked with bacon are a popular dish in the rural districts, same as whipped cream (in normal times) and cooked dried pears.

Electrically-operated grass-drying apparatus will be an innovation in the Summer of 1941 in the rich grass-growing sections of Switzerland. Young grass, placed into constantly revolving cylinders, will be exposed to a current of hot air and within ten or fifteen minutes it will have been changed into dry grass of a grey-green color. It has been established that only 5 per cent of the original food value is lost in the artificial drying process, compared to 30-50 per cent in ordinary haymaking and storing methods. However, due to operating costs, these electric grass-drying plants are only desirable in times of emergency.

Last Summer Swiss housewives were also urged to gather, for tea and preserves, the fragrant herbs and delicious berries which are found in great variety and abundance in forests and on pastures. Among the many different kinds of tea which now replace the imported brands "apple tea," made of dehydrated apple peelings and cores, has become widely popular.

Mount St. Mary Hospital

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dumb waiter run from the ground floor to the fifth floor.

The Power Plant

THE electric power room is of great interest as the centre of the complete system of conduit wiring for electric lighting, electric power, telephones, nurses' call system, radio, electric clocks, annunciator system and fire alarm system. All power is controlled here and there is a separate power for boiler room, bakery and peat house elevator.

The fire alarm system gives two break glasses on each floor, making ten in all, with six annunciators throughout the building to show the location of fires. The phone system to all rooms is controlled through a switchboard here, as well as in the main office, or a private line from outside may be had if desired. The nurses' silent call system is operated from here. When the patient presses a bedside bell a light immediately appears at the patient's table, and at the same instant a light appears over the patient's door in the hall, a light at the nurses' station, a light in the diet kitchen. The bedside light remains on as do the other three lights until the nurse comes and turns off the light at the patient's bedside. Whenever the door of the medicine press near the nurses' station is opened a light flashes on at the nurses' station, so any tampering with medicine or supplies is at once reported.

A few weeks ago Mount St. Mary was dedicated and blest by Most Rev John C. Cody, Bishop of Victoria, who has been much interested and very helpful during the period of construction, and while there has been no official opening, patients and guests have already taken up residence.

It will be conceded that the Sisters of St Ann in undertaking this new enterprise have followed out in loyalty and love the best traditions of the "Old Doctor," John Sebastian Helmcken, of whom we find written in the records of the Province of British Columbia: "A name which will never die while benevolence, high courage, ability and patriotism are of any value here."

Built On Salvage

LONDON—In Holborn there is a library built on salvage. Newspaper sellers help to maintain it by handing in unsold copies, so do small shopkeepers who give their waste paper. This salvage is sold to help maintain the library of between 6,000 and 7,000 books which Holborn Red Cross keeps in circulation in local air raid shelters, A.R.P. posts and fire service and balloon barrage stations.

The sale of salvage pays the running costs of the library and helps to augment the books given by well-wishers. Games, including cards, dominoes, drafts and pin tables, are provided, and one post, where the light is too bad for reading, has been given a gramophone and records. The books are sent out in parcels and changed regularly. When they can circulate no longer they, too, go for salvage and so help to provide more books.

Pussy Deserted Ship

WHEN a steam trawler's lucky black cat jumped ashore the crew looked at each other glumly decided it was a bad omen. The cat had been on the ship four years.

"I warned the other members of the crew we should have bad luck," said one seaman.

A few hours later the vessel struck a rock east of Carnsore Point, Wexford, Eire. The crew of eleven were rescued by Rosslare harbor lifeboat six hours later after they had saturated their bedding with coal oil and set it ablaze as a distress signal.

Drama for Evacuees

THOUGH theatrical entertainment is still sparse in London, evacuees in remote country districts are getting more living drama than ever before. There is an interesting example at Amersham, in Buckinghamshire, where the population is treble what it was in pre-war days.

Here Sally Latimer has opened a theatre, seating 400, where an enterprising company does a fresh play every week. The actors work for small salaries and make their own scenery and costumes. A recent revue cost them less than a dollar. They wrote and composed their own pantomime at Christmas, and have done creditable productions of "The Master Builder" and "Heartbreak House." One of the actresses, Ruth Woodman, is a niece of George Arliss.

First Irishman—"Which would yez rather be in, Pat—an explosion or a collision?"

Second Ditto—"In a collision, because in a collision there yez are, but in an explosion where are yez?"

"That idiot next door threw a stone through the window while I was playing a Russian piece on the piano."

"Silly fellow! Now he will hear you all the plainer."

Missionaries on the Move

(Contributed)

SPRING is here—the season of emergence. Trees are breaking into leaf, flowers are coming up, birds are busy and soon there will be hatching, the tadpole will shortly be getting about his business. Before long—within the next six weeks—there will be another emergence, a familiar sight marking the approach of Summer in many areas of Western Canada. Large neat grey vans will emerge from garages, twenty-four of them, from New Westminster to Winnipeg. Each will contain two ladies, their living and camping equipment, and much other material, mostly connected with teaching.

It is the Anglican Sunday School Caravan Mission, and each van bears the name of a Saint. Founded twenty years ago, by Eva Hasell, that unique churchwoman whose name is a beloved household word throughout the West, the mission penetrates into some of the most out-of-way spots bringing evidence of the church's care to many of her lonely sons and daughters. Those who still have lingering in their minds any fragment of a once-popular conception of a missionary as a rather milk-and-water kind of person, should consider for a moment the conditions under which the "vanners," as they are sometimes affectionately called, work. British Columbia's precipices, Alberta's mud, Saskatchewan's dust storms, anywhere's mosquitoes, all come alike to these women, for they go in the name of God.

May to October

FROM May to October, this fleet is on the move, each van in its own district, and is eagerly watched for by many who have experienced its passing and its sojourns. To be cut off from one's church is a great grief to a church-lover, and there are many places in this huge land where, because of sheer distance to be covered, it is impossible for the clergyman to gather the people for worship more than perhaps once or twice a year. Christian teaching for the children is often very hard to come by. Life presses hardly on the people and for that and other reasons, there is much undermining and faltering of faith. It is the work of this mission to satisfy some part of these needs. The women workers are permitted to hold certain services, which they do wherever it is desired—sometimes just for a little group of a few families in a school room, sometimes for a larger gathering in a church which otherwise would remain a long time shut. They teach the children and provide for their continued teaching by mail if no other means is available. They do much to relieve the sick and the poor, through many channels. And their very presence shows the far-away folk that they are cared for and not forgotten. Many burdens are shared with the van workers, and simply talking to an interested hearer does much to relieve the tension that comes of too great loneliness, and which can lead to great distress, and even breakdown, of mind.

THE workers, although their expenses are met, go otherwise without pay, working for the love of God and His people. The hardships do not count beside that objective. It is a life of hardship, and strain of many kinds, but they count it worth while that the greatest number of workers have come from the Old Country for no other purpose than this. That cannot be so now; the number of Canadian women who have felt the call to this mission has been on the increase for some years, and there is no room for doubt that they will soon be shouldering the full responsibility.

Nothing can more truly be called "war work" than this, or more truly be considered as a contribution to that new world order to which all are looking.

These mission workers, going into homes and talking to individuals, have rather special opportunities. Here is an instance. At one house there was a Russian family not long come to Canada, and members of their own church. The mother knew very little English and could not read it at all. She had just bought, from a persuasive person at the door, a book belonging to a certain sect, in which every sentence was either sedition or blasphemy, and many were both! The matter was not improved by the fact that the book was full of Bible texts. The poor lady said that she had bought it because, though she could not read it herself, it looked as if it "would be nice for the little girl to read." Here was the van's opportunity. The book was bought from the mother and removed, and in its place as reading for the little girl were left gifts of books and Sunday school papers which she could enjoy and understand, giving her the teaching of the Bible and the Christian church.

The work of the caravan mission is primarily directed towards the children. The godless nations of Northern Europe are not the only people who know that the future lies with youth. It is sometimes asked, rather peevishly, "What is the church doing?" The caravan mission is a bit of the answer.

A Balkan War Hero

ISTANBUL—Vice-Admiral Sukor Okan is well known to the British Navy. He was their host when the Mediterranean Fleet visited here in 1930. Later Admiral Sukor repaid the call with a visit to Malta. Blue-eyed and broad-shouldered, the Admiral is a typical Turk, very proud of his descent from a long line of sailors and fishermen who used to ply in the Sea of Marmora in the sixteenth century. There are those who maintain he could sail anything against anyone and come out of the engagement with flying colors. Certainly he went out in an ancient cruiser to face modern Greek destroyers in the Balkan War to give a good account of himself and return to the Golden Horn with the crescent and star flying gaily above a stern awash.

Red Head

By Brooke Hanlon

VERITY Bannister came out of her own house by the side door and followed the flagstone path to her son's place, perhaps a hundred yards away. New a year since Rick had built his house in the apple orchard and had brought Linda there to live. You could almost tell, approaching the rambling little white house, that Rick was a keen-eyed young architect, that he had loved the orchard, and that he loved the girl he had brought there to share it with him.

Today Verity wasn't concerned much with new roses. She smiled faintly. That was no flower she could see blooming through the orchard today. It was a small boy like Richard. It was a small girl like Linda. Boy or girl, it didn't matter. Verity quickened her pace. Her first grandchild was being born today.

She moved rapidly through her son's house then, opening windows. The phone rang.

"Why don't you stay at home to hear about your new grandaughter?" Rick's voice was tired, relieved. "She weighs six pounds, two ounces, and Linda's doing nicely, they tell me. I'm going back to be with her now. See you later."

"Oh, Rick——" She was babbling.

Rick came in to his mother's house at 8 o'clock. Linda was sleeping, he reported. The baby was sleeping, too, he judged. He was jubilant now, and he ate ravenously. The baby was to be Verity Bannister, he told her, grinning. They'd been saving that for a surprise.

"Rick!" his mother protested. "Such an old-fashioned name." But she was pleased.

"I thought new babies were supposed to be red," Rick said. "This one is more—well, blue."

"No——" Verity choked her frightened exclamation short.

She was glad afterward that Rick had had that happy evening and that Linda had had her night of deep and dreamless sleep. For the new Verity Bannister struggled weakly for twenty-four hours and then loosed her helpless little hold on life . . .

Verity had shock and loss to walk through, but she crowded it down. The young parents' loss was so much greater. After three weeks Linda's loss emerged as the one that overshadowed all others. It was a stark and lifeless sort of thing, and it chained Linda uncaring to a hospital bed. Verity found it heartbreaking to sit in and look at her. She was pale and thin and silent. "It's all right," Dr. Tom Bryce kept assuring them. "When she's stronger. . . ."

"When her strength comes back . . . They won't on saying that for a while. Rick said it and Dr Bryce said it, and Verity. The nurses said it.

"She'll—snap out of it, won't she, Mother?" Rick swallowed.

"Yes," Verity said. She set her lips firmly, as though by her own resolution she could help.

"I think perhaps if she came home——" Rick was lost, at the end of four weeks.

Tom Bryce and Verity knew that Linda didn't want to come home. "Whatever the doctor says," she said slowly. "It's going to take a lot of time and you mustn't worry, Rick. . . . There'll be other babies," she said after a while comfortingly.

"No" Rick said didn't look from the window

"You think that now, but——"

"We know it now," he corrected wearily. "Dr. Bryce told Linda today. He claimed it was better to tell her; that Bernard was—the worst, she could adjust herself to it —have it over. I'm not sure it was best, but——"

The room was emptier.

"TOM." Verity said to Tom Bryce. "What did the new tests show? Shouldn't Linda, by this time, be—be taking hold?" Linda had been home for a month.

"The new tests showed nothing." Tom Bryce studied her for a moment. "They didn't mean a thing," he said at last. "They were just to humor Rick. The girl's weak from lying around." His tone was abrupt. "Tom! We mustn't say that." Verity's voice sharpened.

"You didn't say it. I did. And it was the physician speaking, not the man. I know Linda's had a shock. It hits some harder than others. She hasn't enough to do."

"Well—I lost a child," she remembered slowly. "I suppose I'll never forget having to come back to the house after—after it was all over. But I had Rick, and he was only two. I had to take hold."

She stood in warm sunlight and watched Tom Bryce get into his car and drive away. She went back to Linda.

"I'm going to drive you out into the sun now," Verity said suddenly.

"No." Linda winced a little. "Not now"

"But it's four o'clock and you've been in all day."

"I'll go out about five," Linda said listlessly. "The little Bartholdy——" Her mouth twisted shut on her words.

"All right, dear," Verity said cheerfully. "The little Bartholdy girl next door would not be playing outside at five, was what Linda had meant. A feeling of despair crept slowly up over Verity. . . .

AUGUST, and Rick was looking more a stand and beaten, and Linda was no better.

"Bit down, Rick." Verity spoke calmly. "After your brother died——" She tried again, patiently. "It took so long. But I had you and——"

She didn't finish, for Rick wasn't listening to her.

"Why, Rick!" She stood up suddenly, and there was a new and surprised note in her voice. "You could adopt a child" "We could what?"

"Adopt one. Of course."

"Mother, are you actually suggesting that we take into our home a child we know nothing about?"

"Oh, come! I doubt if there is such a

Linda was coming slowly and carefully down the stairs, carrying young Tim Murdock.

help Linda——"

"Help her?" His attention was caught. "Do you think it would?" He was saying that after ten minutes, and he grew half hopeful as they planned.

"She—may not be willing." Verity spoke reluctantly.

"Why—isn't willing. It all came, finally to that.

"I can't even talk to her about it any more," Rick reported dejectedly at last. "I promised her I wouldn't. It's not. It's not. Mother, could we see him——" Verity was caught off guard.

"What do you mean—see him?"

"I want to. Tom Bryce." Verity colored a little. "Well, I did more than talk to him. We found a baby. That is, Tom Bryce found him."

"Him?" Rick muttered.

"Yes. It was and that it was a boy, too. She got up and walked about. "A baby from a good family. The parents were killed in an automobile accident and there was no one left but a cousin of the father. She?. Verity pushed her hair back—"well, she had twin babies of her own two months ago. She isn't strong and they haven't much money. She is—was willing to adopt a child claim to little Tim. Well, it doesn't matter now." Verity's tired voice hit a sharp. It didn't matter? She had been to see little Tim Murdock four times in one week—and it mattered.

"Fifteen months old. I had no idea how hard it was to find one. Rick, it seems that healthy, legitimate babies from good homes, no strings attached, are practically non-existent."

"Too bad," Rick said mechanically. "But the way Linda feels——" Well, at best it would have been a risk. It was good of you to go to so much trouble."

"Trouble." Verity said softly.

She hadn't told him about the way Tim Murdock's red hair curled up in wisps, the way his engaging grin crinkled his features. Rick couldn't have known about her last visit to Tim.

She had found the pale girl who was Tim's cousin crying in despair in a littered three-room apartment in town. There'd been a damp forest of baby clothes drying in the kitchen, breakfast dishes untouched on the table, a smell of burning cereal hovering over everything. Myra Hastings had been weeping quietly. The twins had been crying lustily.

"It isn't always this bad." The girl had dashed her tears away apologetically, letting Verity in. "N-nothing went right today. We didn't sleep and——"

"Now, see here!" Verity had cast about the place a swift and glossing look. "You go right back to bed. I'll feed them. I'll take care of everything."

"But look at Tim——"

"Yes, I see him." Tim looked nons the less beautiful to Verity for being deluged with spilled cereal.

In two hours she'd had everything in order—the babies cleaned and fed and quiet a hot lunch simmering on the stove for young Mrs. Hastings.

But it wasn't of any of these things that she thought now, rocking quietly on her porch. It was of the twenty minutes that small Tim had slept in her arms, after lunch. Verity's arms ached suddenly remembering the trustful weight of young Tim Murdock. She stood up abruptly. . . .

"Mother, I want to visit." Verity said. She was back in the disordered little Hastings apartment. "If you let me have him for a month or so I'm sure—Oh, you're not sure." Shn h d to be honest. "But—but it will help you to have him out of and taken care of just now." Verity's heart was hammering dully. Suppose Myra Hastings said no.

"A visit." Myra Hastings said slowly. "I don't know—I'm afraid Charles would any with their baby carriages. Jinny and Orel and Hester. I must pass the Bartholdy place and see the little girl playing——" Her voice died.

"Yes, you must. I came today to tell you that there's going to be a baby even nearer than the Bartholdy's little girl, nearer than Jinny's and Hester's. You see, I brought the little boy home with me. I mean to adopt him. I came in to tell you that."

Linda stared and her face went slowly white. "You can't." Her voice was stifled. "You can't. You're cruel."

"I can, dear. I did." She had to stand after all. "I became attached to the child, Linda. They had to give him to someone, and I was afraid it would be someone else. Let me bring him over to see you."

"No. I won't see him. I can't come into your house if you—if you——" Her face was working.

Verity went home slowly and she felt tired and suddenly old.

IT was 5 o'clock when she saw Rick drive in next door. It was 8:30 and it was 9, and Rick hadn't come over. Young Tim was bathed and ready for bed at 7:30; he was staggering happily about in his worn small robe and slippers. Verity sat very still and watched him and felt a little ill. When Rick's step sounded on the porch at last, her heart lurched in relief.

"Mother, what is the meaning of this?" Rick plunged in, and he looked a little ill, too. He hadn't ever looked at her in that way or used just that tone of voice.

"Didn't Linda tell you?" she said quietly. "I brought the little boy home. Here he is." She had picked the baby up. He crowed at Rick and waved his fists.

"I see." Rick didn't glance at Tim. He stared at his mother and then paced up and down. "Linda wasn't able to tell me much." His lips went thin and accusing. "She's in bed and—— How could you, Mother?"

"Perhaps it's time something jolted Linda out of bed. Perhaps Tim will do it." She could speak quietly, but the room was rocking with the look in Rick's eyes.

"Not now." He was pleading at last. Give her a little more time.

"We've been saying that too long. Just now is when this baby needs a home. Linda will have to face the fact that I've taken him and that—that I mean to keep him."

Yes, Rick would have to have that story, too. But she couldn't look at him now. She had to let the baby slip to the floor, and stand up. "You watch him for a moment, Rick," she said stumbling. "I'll get him a cup of milk."

Rick hated her. She had to stand alone in the kitchen for a moment and face it, and try to recover from it. . . . Tim had made his stumbling way to Rick's knee and he was swinging his arms and trying to climb. "What is he trying to do?" Rick watched him uncertainly.

"He wants you to pick him up."

Rick lifted Tim gingerly. The baby waved wildly, and chortled. With his small pink fist he struck at Rick's chin. "What the deuce?" Rick said. "Well all right. Let's see how you like it." Rick doubled his own fist, but Tim ducked and got in another wild and glancing blow.

"What the deuce—!" Rick stared. "Someone has been teaching him to box.

"Well, all right. Get down here" They were down on the floor. Tim lunging at Rick and shrieking with glee. He staggered in, delivering his clumsy blows. "By heck!" Rick's voice was awed. "There Oot you that time, fellow Hey, how do you like that?"

The game ended when Tim sat down, unceremoniously, spent with laughter. Rick went back on his heels, and grinned at him. "Well, where do you want him allowed?" Rick went up the stairs with fat arms closed about his neck in a strangle hold, and Verity followed. "Changed your tactics, did you, Strangler? Hey, I believe he likes me." Rick was spellbound, standing over the crib. "Well, good night, Mother." He turned abruptly. He plunged down the stairs and out of the house.

"That, Verity said softly, tucking Tim in, "is that. But Linda——" Her smile faded.

"What does Linda say about your coming in to see Tim?" she probed one evening. It had been three weeks, and Rick's conquest was complete now. He had bought a pair of miniature boxing gloves

"I don't mention him," Rick said.

Verity's heart was a little heavier. She had banked on something—she didn't quite know what—and it wasn't working out.

Josie left for her annual two weeks' vacation on the twenty-eighth, and on the thirtieth Verity fell on the stairs. It had been the new bifocals, of course. She was able to figure that out, lying in a haze of pain and blackness at the foot of the stairs. It was fortunate that the phone was right there. She was able to call Linda. Linda was fortunate—to call Dr. Bryce.

"I think I can get to the couah if you help me" Linda came first, and Verity directed her, gasping "I'm afraid it's a bad sprain."

"It's a nice, clean break." Tom Bryce's office was only two blocks away, and he was there and examining the injured leg almost at once. "I'm afraid it's the hospital for you, my lady. There—how's that?"

That hadn't been very good, and Verity drowned in a sea of greyness for a moment. She was conscious of Linda moving about and collecting a few things for her. Linda brought a small bag down the stairs. "The—the baby——" She stood uncertainly. "He's awake"

Tim Tim's red head emerged now and swam in the greyness. Verity tried to sit up, but had to sink back, biting her lips. "You'll have to wire Josie. No, can't her up. No, that won't do. It would take her a day or—" Verity's words faded and her mouth went grey. Linda stood looking down at her, twisting her hands.

"Rick—is all right with babies." Linda's throat seemed to be stiff. "She—we'll get Ellen's out today." she remembered slowly. "Ellen's out today. She drove off with a boy and I— What—does he eat?"

"As soon as I get Mrs. Hastings to the hospital and fixed up," Tom Bryce broke in, "I'll come back and show you what he eats"

A NEW wave of pain struck Verity and she had to close her eyes. She hadn't wanted to close them. She'd wanted to determine if that was a twinkle in Tom Bryce's eyes, bending over her.

"Til—bring him down" Linda was moving uncertainly away. An absent wail sounded from above and Verity heard the girl's steps quicken on the stairs

It was a twinkle. Verity had her eyes open again and she was swallowing something that Tom Bryce held to her lips "Swallow it," he urged. "I believe you planned this."

"I didn't plan it"

"Well, look—"

Verity looked. Linda was coming slowly and carefully down the stairs carrying young Tim Murdock

"Now don't worry." Linda's voice was still and strange "I'll find his clothes. I'll find everything. I'll call Rick and send him on to the hospital"

"I suppose you can stand a little pain—" Verity heard that and closed here eyes again as Dr Bryce lifted her up—"in a good cause." She came out of this swimming to hear that close to her ear. "It should heal nicely, don't you think?" It was double talk. The doctor was easing her into his car.

"Yes." Quickly. Tell Linda the diet list is in the top kitchen cabinet drawer to the right. Tell her everything is in—is in—" Her voice went faint.

Tom Bryce was shifting gears and glancing out at Linda Tim was poking at Linda's chin now and giggling. "Everything." Dr. Bryce said, "is in the bag"

"Linda hasn't been in for two days." Verity said rather fretfully to Rick one evening. It was her second week in the hospital. "I don't see why you brought more flowers," she scolded.

Rick sat down. "Linda, she's—well, she's mighty busy. Believe it or not, mother, Linda has fallen for Red like a ton of bricks."

looked at Rick, and her heart began to sing. Hah!

"Oh, I don't have to tell you, don't I?"

"No. I could tell it days ago, and just by looking at you." It was so good to see Rick grinning again, so see that helplessness gone from about his mouth, to hear him swing down the hospital corridor as if he owned it. It was so good that Verity had to catch his hand and pat it a little and wink determinedly. There was something she had to do now. Now was the time. There was a certain voice she wanted to find. She found it.

"Don't let Linda grow too fond of the baby, Rick," she cautioned. There was just the right amount of worry in her voice, and perhaps only Tom Bryce would have detected in her an inclination to look down her nose "You see—a nice hesitation here—"I have to send him back"

"Send him back!" Rick shouted. "Why? You adopted him, didn't you?"

"Not finally. Don't shout, dear. This is a hospital."

"Not finally?" Rick leaped to his feet. "But I thought—Well, listen—make it final!"

"Please don't shout, Rick . . . No, dear—she sighed—"It won't do. I'm fifty-two," she said sadly. "I've come to the age of bifocals, and the Lord only knows what's coming next. My bones are brittle. Suppose"—she really winced here—"I had had Tim in my arms that day on the stairs. It takes months to become accustomed to bifocals. Well, you see, it will be all right. They can register him for adoption again and—"

"You're talking crazy," Rick blurted "Fifty-two? You're sound as a nut. What have you done about it? Have you told his people? You haven't done that?"

"Now, Rick, sit down. I can't do anything until I get out of here. Just don't let Linda become too attached to Tim, that's all."

"That's all?" He paced, and pushed his hair. He sat down and fidgeted and looked at his watch.

"Why don't you run along home to Linda," Verity suggested. "I'm a little sleepy." She patted an exaggerated yawn.

"All right, if you think—" He leaped up again. "I'll do that." There was a wild look in his eye. "You get your sleep, mother. Good night." His kiss merely grazed her cheek.

Verity slept contentedly. She ate her breakfast placidly, and went on having a good time through the morning. Now and then she glanced at her wrist watch. It was eleven when she heard expected footsteps outside her door. Slow footsteps, accompanied by a climsy sort of shuffle, end dragging tail.

Linda was thin, but magnificent, her color high and her eyes flashing. Tim was fat, but magnificent, too. Tim was a new suit he had on, Verity noted blandly.

"You are positively the most heartless woman that ever breathed!" Linda accused breathlessly. She disdained the chair, and her hands were moving deftly, unconsciously—moving little things out of Tim's range. "The most heartless—" Her voice failed.

"My dear . . ."

"Just when he's become attached to all of us! Just as Linda's baby could be shifted about like a—a clump of beonies. Well, you can't do it. Rick and I won't let you. I won't let Linda get right, Mr. Red. We're taking him, Rick and I . . . Red—coma back here!" Linda was off like a cannon ball. "Mother, you'll throughh the door, and she darted after him.

Verity smiled lazily. That, she mused, was the swifest move she had seen her son's wife make in years. Rick had had to pull the corners of her mouth carefully down then. for Linda was coming back. "You're taking Hinda,?" Verity was ready for her. "Oh, no. You don't realize how work, the worry——"

"Oh, don't I? Red! Red—" Linda was off again. She was back, panting, and she held Tim determinedly. "I—I realize it!" she gasped. Now Tim had clutched her veil and had pulled her hat down over one eye. "I've been run ragged!" Linda said. The veil tore. The hat lurched and hung from Tim's lightly closed fist, as he shouted in triumph.

Linda looked at the wreck of her hat and at the red head bobbing above it, and her smile was wonderful. "Mother, aren't you the least bit glad—that it's all fixed up? That strangers aren't going to get Tim?"

"I have to get used to the idea," Verity said slowly. "Why, yes, child—I believe I am glad." Linda was down retrieving her hat from the floor now, and Verity winked at Tim.

"He winked." Linda's hair was over one eye, and her exclamation was astounded. "Who in the world could have taught him that?"

"They learn things," Verity said feebly.

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The war has caused the oyster to trek across Canada from British Columbia to Montreal. According to a reliable source, oysters in bulk from British Columbia are being sold in Montreal for the first time in the history of the oyster trade. This mass migration is said to have been the result of the embargo placed on the importation of oysters from the United States

Mistress—"I am very sorry you are leaving us, Jane. But, of course, if you are going to better yourself, I——"

Maid—"Oh no, Madam. I am going to be married."

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King of Rome

Napoleon's Only Son

The actor of Napoleon's only son have been laid beside Napoleon in the grandeur of his tomb in the Invalides. Their lives were as tragic and fantastic as the story of Napoleon that they (the child of the dashing dream) is found a dynasty for which he should be remembered but not forgotten. Here is Paris article in which the story of the King of Rome is told, and of the fate of this only son, the little King of Rome who lived at a time when years and are forgotten.

IN the stormy life of the great adventurer Napoleon there was only a few of Napoleon's stirring years, flattering him with hopes at once fleeting and glorious, and then fading away like a mocking will-o'-the-wisp, leaving the most poignant of all the regrets that crowded the end of his amazing life.

It was when Napoleon reached the highest his power and had begun to slide at feet (with the exception of Great Britain and Russia, whom he could not reach) that his hope of founding a dynasty became intense His ambition demanded an heir.

Could he not hope to cover up his origin in Corsica by an alliance with a proud house? Would the most ancient of the royal lines dare to reject him should he ask them for a bride? Would they not be afraid to shut the door in his face when the Upstart knocked for admission?

King of Rome

HE dwelt on the thought until it became an obsession which overwhelmed even his love for Josephine, who could not give him a son. So he put her aside, though the French folk instinctively thought of her as his good genius Then he chose as his new wife the young Marie Louise of Austria.

On this curious match (for Napoleon was forty and Marie Louise eighteen) the world did not look entirely with disfavor, for there were hopes that if Napoleon were settled at home his restless spirit might be calmed and his energies be directed to the peaceful development of his great empire.

Then came the time when Paris was told that an heir was born. An incredible enthusiasm burst out. Hate were thrown into the air, cheers sounded from all parts of the Tuileries Gardens, and the news spread with an almost miraculous swiftness. As for the emperor, it was with tears rolling down his cheeks that he faced his son for the first time. Reviving an ancient title, he made him, in his cradle, King of Rome.

Happy Hours

EVERYONE was eager to manifest his joy to the emperor In painting, in sculpture, in print, the Imperial baby's portrait was everywhere. Poets sent his verses from all parts of the country.

But the expected peace did not come with the welcomed child In the beginning of 1813 a fresh storm from the north threatened the French Empire. A rupture between France and Russia occurred partly through the Austrian marriage. Overwhelmed with care and work, Napoleon's only happy hours were those he spent playing with his son, guiding the child's first steps, laughing at his fals, enchanted with his promise.

The little King of Rome was carried in his father's arms to see the soldiers of France, or was to be found in the emperor's study, the famous room forbidden to all others. Napoleon, gifted with an extraordinary power of concentration, could at the same time attend to business and lend himself to the child's tyranny, now sitting on his favorite sofa busy with the reading of an important dispatch, now at his desk eaging papers, with his boy on his lap.

His patience with the boy was inexhaustible He, so hot-headed when interrupted in his planning of battles, would sit up with anything from this child. The emperor had made a series of little pieces of different sizes and colors to stand for regiments and when he wanted to try any new manoeuvre he would set them out on the floor as on a battlefield. Sometimes the little King of Rome, lying on the rug, and delighted with these colored pegs that reminded him of his toys, would disturb the order of the battle at a decisive moment, but such was Napoleon's patience with his son that he did not grumble, he would lay out his toy soldiers afresh.

Petitions to the King

AS the child grew up he became fond of watching people in the Tuileries Gardens below the palace windows, and many Parisians would gather there to watch him too. Having noticed that some people entered the palace with rolls of papers under their arms, he inquired what this means, and was told they were unfortunate people who came with petitions to his father. Then a habit grew up of the petitions being brought to him that he might take them to his father.

Many stories are told about this sending of these petitions through the child as the surest way of attracting the emperor's notice. One such petition, asking for an official post, was addressed in full form in "His Majesty the King of Rome," and when it reached Napoleon he said, "This letter is not for me. Let it be taken to the prince." So it was taken to the child lying in his sumptuous cradle. When it was returned to the emperor he asked what his son had said, and was told that he had made no reply. "Very well; silence means consent, and the request will be granted," said the ruler of France; and the appointment was forthwith made.

Lesson for the Prince

THOUGH the prince was generally gentle and docile, he sometimes flew into a passion, but even as a small child he understood his position. Once, the Court recorders say, when he rolled on the floor shouting, his guardian teacher shut the windows and drew down the blinds. The child, surprised, at once forgot his anger, stood up, and asked why that had been done. "I took the windows lest people should hear you," said the lady. "Do you think princes lo they knew—?"

"Oh, did they hear me?" exclaimed the boy. "I should be so sorry. I won't do it again."

That was how this little lad, whom France had expected, in whom all Europe was interested, was brought up until the day came when Napoleon, surrounded and surrounded by victorious nations, had to explain to the officers of the Paris National Guard that he must leave the empress and his son in their care while he went forth to fight once more.

In January, 1814, leaving the empress and his son in Paris, with his brother, Joseph Bonaparte, as adviser and guardian, Napoleon took the field in his last campaign but one against the enemies he had roused by his aggressive ambition and by his obstinate refusal to accept reasonable terms of peace. His good-bye to his wife and child was like one through they little thought it, they were not to meet again. The defeated emperor lived seven years after that sad farewell, a broken and broken man; but never again had he a chance of seeing his young wife, who was only twenty-one when he died, or the son in whom all his hopes had been centred

The manoeuvres of his troops in meeting armies from all quarters took him away from Paris, and in his absence Paris fell into the hands of the Allies, and Marie Louise and her son were taken in charge by them until the Austrians became their guardians, and the deposed empress, with her son, went back, not unwilling as it seems, to her childhood's home in Vienna.

The Son Forgotten

UNHEEDED were the appeals from Napoleon that his wife should join him in Elba, where he was sent into exile after his abdication in favor of his son in April, 1814. From Elba he was to escape, and during the period after his return till his defeat at Waterloo Marie Louise remained quietly secluded in Austria and gave her husband no encouragement. Napoleon did not forget the son on whom his name had been fixed, for in his second and final abdication it was again his son whom he named as his successor, but his cause was being forgotten Though Napoleon remembered him, the world forgot.

Of all the blows that fell at last on this man, who had made his way to the summit of earthly fame by giving blows, the most shattering and desolating of all was his bitter discovery that no one in Europe gave a thought to the boy whose destiny had been his supreme concern. He was proposed by Napoleon as King of France, but nobody regarded him as King of Rome, but at the first opportunity was stripped of the title As a last indignity he was given the insignificant title of Duke of Reichstadt, a rank subordinate to that of the Austrian archduke, though a person who he would rather have his son of his strangled than made an archduke of Austria.

Draught of Failure

NAPOLEON lived long enough to see all these slights put on the son who had been his pride. He drank the draught of failure to the last dregs, and his son have been the bitterest of its dregs.

But worse would have been his grief if Napoleon had lived longer. He was seven when he was humiliated by the insignificant title of Duke of Reichstadt. He was ten when his father died. Had the father lived ten years he would have seen his son forgotten and neglected, except when some politician remembered for a brief period now and then to bring forward the boy's name to create a passing diversion. Napoleon's son would become the smallest of the pawns on the diplomatic chessboard of Europe

Into what kind of boy, what kind of youth, did this little Napoleon grow?

At first he had some sense of the position in France to which he had been born, but the Austrian Emperor's plan was to try to make the child forget France and its associations. His name was changed, much against his liking, from Napoleon to Francis; but he remembered a great deal about his childhood. One of the archdukes showed him a silver coin and asked him if he knew whose likeness it was "Yes; it is mine," he replied, "when I was King of Rome."

Colonel at Twenty

AS a child he was devoted to study, as it is fit himself for any position; but his thoughts ran much on military lines as he grew older, and he was advanced step by step through the army till at twenty he became a colonel.

As he grew into manhood he overtaxed his physical strength in his attempt to become robust, and tuberculosis fastened on him. As he became weaker he found some consolation in books.

The young prince, fair only to a name and the shadow of greatness, died on July 22, 1832, at twenty-one.

Few who have been born to the purple have served better to point a moral. The Duke of Reichstadt never showed that he would have had any exceptional talent or character if life had gone smoothly with him; but as it is he remains the memory of a piece of political wreckage tossed about on a torrent swift and violent.

He was born to be an heir, for that and nothing else: and an heir he was—heir to the home-coming disasters of his father's meteoric life. Napoleon had sown the seeds of violence through a dozen years of reckless adventure when this child was born, and the harvest of violence had just ripened for the reaping Instead of being a signal for peace and the upbuilding of a nation, for which Napoleon had almost as much a genius as he had for the science of war, the child's coming marked the outbreak of a still greater storm, which swept his father and son in an avalanche of ruin.

Into Oblivion

INTO the hurtl life of the great adventurer there came for a brief space the softening influence of a little child, and even now the thought of it creates a feeling of pity; but it did not soften Napoleon; it did not modify his ambitious ce swerva him from his madness

Pitiful it is, for in the destinies of our race the follies of men are as straws in the wind, and even Napoleons must perish in oblivion in God's good time, as Hitler will.

CHILDREN TYPIFY SPIRIT OF BRITAIN IN 1941
It Was Only the Night Before That the Nazi Bombers Blasted This English Coastal Town, but the Children Already Are Doing Their Little Bit to Build a Bigger and Better Town on the Ruins of the Old. They Are Salvaging the Bricks From a Ruined House and Stacking Them for Use in the Rebuilding.

There's Trouble Ahead for Denmark

The author of this article is a prominent Danish journalist who has lived alternately in London and New York in January, 1940 "Radio to the Letter" gave an accurate and detailed account of the German invasion of Denmark and the reaction of the Danes. Today, the author of the previous war, portrays events in making to a fishing vessel, and later came to the United States.

By JOACHIM JOHNSEN
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THERE is more trouble ahead for Denmark It has been in the air for some time. Close observers of the Danish situation anticipated months ago that this year would see the end of Denmark's "independence" under German "protection." For just over one year the Nazis have, by and large, adjusted their formal promise to King Christian, made on April 9, 1940, that the country's independence would be safeguarded and no attempt would be made to interfere with its internal affairs.

You cannot expect Hitler to keep a promise forever. One year is a lot and obviously the time has come now for him to break his pledge to Denmark According to all portents, the country will be relegated and integrated into the German Empire during the next few months. The Greenland affair has set the stone rolling There can be no doubt that the Danish minister in Washington, Henrik de Kauffmann, formally overstepped his authority by signing the pact with the United States But it is equally certain that he acted with the full understanding and tacit approval of the king, a majority of the Danish cabinet and a practically unanimous public opinion.

It was only natural, and doubtless foreseen by all parties concerned in the pact, that Germany would immediately turn the heat on the Danish Government, force it to disavow the pact and recall the minister. Mr. De Kauffmann refuses to obey the orders from Copenhagen and he is backed by his entire staff and by all the Danish consular officials in this country

The Stage Is Set

THE stage, thus, is clearly set for a show-down which may be expected during the next few days or weeks The present position is probably unique in history and obviously untenable To all practical intents and purposes, diplomatic relations between this country and Denmark have been severed, since the State Department continues to recognize Mr. De Kauffmann and the latter no longer represents the Copenhagen Government.

Whom does Mr. De Kauffmann represent anyway? The answer is—the Danish nation. Morally the position is clear and unassailable. But diplomatically it is one of the worst tangles on record.

The obvious solution to this puzzle is the constitution of a "Free Danish Government" somewhere. Already there is a Danish council in London, which exercises some of a Government's attributes, There are indications that this council, which has enabled Mr. De Kauffmann congratulations and approval, will soon be made into a Government-in-Exile and thus become the official body behind Mr. De Kauffmann's present shadow legation. If this does not happen in the next few days it will be because the Free Danes want Hitler to take the first step towards the necessary clarification of positions

A Hitler Cabinet

HITLER is certainly going to oblige. The Nazis have been for a long time dissatisfied with the half-hearted support they get from the Danish Government in their war against British. They have been busy drawing up the blueprint of a new Danish cabinet that would include three members of Dr. Fritz Clausen's Nazi party, two Conservatives, three "Venstre" men (a traditionally pro-German agrarian party), one so-called Radical and three Social-Democrats This coalition, under the name "Danish Front" (Danish Front), is expected to play about the same role as the administrative council in Norway which formed an interim Government preceding the present Quisling regime

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King Christian has hitherto been able to resist, with remarkable skill and sagacity, the various German attempts to impose upon him a Government of their choice. His most effective weapon in this delaying fight has been a repeated threat of abdication if the Nazis were to force his hand. Such a move would throw the country into confusion and hasten the setting up of a "Free Danish Government" abroad. I think we shall hear within a very short time either that King Christian has formed a Government in accordance with Berlin's wishes, or that he has left Hitler to do it, by making good his threat of abdication.

Whatever his choice, nothing can stop now the further disintegration of the Danish state and the splitting of the nation and obviously undesirable To all practical intents and purposes, diplomatic relations between this country and Denmark have been severed, since the State Department continues to recognize Mr. De Kauffmann and the latter no longer represents the Copenhagen Government.

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Grecian Isles

Sea-Encircled Fragments

By ANTHONY CLYDE
(In The Scotsman Edinburgh)

WE are meeting references in the news to some of the islands of Greece, so often celebrated by poets, and they are of vital strategic importance in the Eastern Mediterranean theatre of war A cursory glance at a map makes that clear. On one side the mainland, now Albania may be threatened, and on the other, the islands, formerly Italian, still menace Turkey, link up with Italian bases in the Dodecanese Islands, and become stepping stones to Syria. There are merely some obvious factors in their complex strategic significance

British sea power will play its part in the Archipelago, and if the Italians attempt to seize some of the islands, then the fleet will rejoice in opportunities hitherto denied of getting to grips with the foe. There may be some lively naval actions among these multitudinous sea-encircled fragments of Greek territory. There are altogether about 300 islands, making up more than a third of the total area of the Greek kingdom

The islands are the tops of submerged mountains, for the whole peninsula is an immense range of mighty ridges, enclosing numerous little vales, with the edges dipped down long agos age into the sea. Hence the remarkably indented coast line of gulfs and bays, longer than that of the peninsula of Spain and Portugal which is five times the size. Even the mainland is, as it were, riddled by the sea, with the islands strewn around.

Former Venetian Isles

ALONG the west coast are the Ionian isles, which were under the sway of Venice in her palmy days, when she was a great maritime power and truly was ceded to France as a result of Napoleon's first triumphal campaign of conquest Then they passed under the influence of Russia and Turkey, eventually becoming a British protectorate Only in 1864 were they incorporated with Greece

We have heard most of Corfu, the largest and most important, for since Mussolini in 1923 sent a fleet to bombard the disguised Venetian fortress of the town of Corfu, killing refugees and children, so a lawless and savage reprisal for the murder on Greek territory of an Italian diplomat by the Albanian frontier commission, there have been rumors from time to time of Italy's intention to take possession. She covets Corfu intensely because of its situation

Scenery of Crete

THE most southern part of Greece, and indeed of Europe, is the large island of Crete The romantic loveliness and wild grandeur of its country are in fulfilment of the wonderful mythological discoveries of an elaborate civilization which flourished before the earliest of Egypt, and it is rich in classical legend, charming or quaint, while in mediaeval and modern times its frequented chronicles teem with striking incidents

Candia, the largest town, with a considerable export trade in olive oil, raisins, and almonds, has fascinating mosques, bazaars, and Venetian fortifications, and near is the site of Knossos, the mythical city of Minos where flutting bulls slew captive youths and maidens

Rhodes and the Dodecanese are islands inhabited almost entirely by Greeks which Italy has retained by surrender of Turkey, took them from Turkey in 1912. The other islands of the Aegean Sea now will belong to Greece except Imbros and Tenedos, which were returned to Turkey in 1923. These islands and islets scattered over all the Aegean are what the poets sing of their beauty and classical associations, as the celebrated and romantic Isles of Greece.

The Isles of Greece, the Isles of Greece!
Where Sappho loved and sang, and where she sang,
Where grew the arts of war and peace,
Where Delos rose and Phoebus sprang!

They are beautiful islands, which Homer's many-sounding sea, in short, the sun warm but not too warm, and is a great inspiration and refreshment to all. Their scenery is unsurpassed of its kind, rugged cliffs and charming coves, frowning headlands and sheltered inlets, deep, asphodel and acanthus, lilac and poppy, even barren hillsides clothed with golden glory of gorse and broom, rushing streams and sparkling rills, grove of fir and pyramidal cypress, the bay, the olive, the vine, and the orange tree, white-washed villages visible very far through the clear air, venerable monasteries and massive citadels.

Historical Interest

THEIR legendary and historical lore is inexhaustible, but excepting Delos and Samothrace the remains of classical antiquity are not numerous On little Delos, which belonged to the myth, soldiering rose above the waves and floated until Zeus fastened it to the bottom to make it safe for Leto to bear there her twin offspring, Apollo and Diana, may be seen ruins of temples and courts and colonnades, even the base of the colossal statue of Apollo. To the splendid festivals at this shrine they came from all parts of the Hellenic world, and there is a great mark, especially for slaves, of whom sometimes 10,000 were bartered in a day

Santorin is one of the world's queerest islands Named after Saint Irene, who was martyrized by the crater of a long extinct volcano. The rocks are fused in fantastic shapes In parts the water is hot, yellow, and impregnated with sulphur, combining with gases and pumice stones floating. A strange sight it is to watch the people and the little donkeys passing up and down the zig-zag path, cobbled with blocks of lava, from the white town perched on the rim of the volcano to the harbor. This animals are laden with goatskins full of the famous wine and bags of the peculiar lime, resistant to sea water and in demand for harbor works and waterways, used extensively, for instance, at the Suez Canal.

Suburb and Country

AGRICULTURE IS A FIRST PRINCIPLE: ON IT RESTS THE LIFE AND HAPPINESS OF MANKIND—Julian A. Dimock

Riotous Color Is Produced By Dwarf Bedding Dahlias

FOR producing masses of riotous color in the garden from June until frost, few flowers can compete with the new dwarf types of bedding dahlias, writes Marthe Pratt Haislip, in The New York Times. Indeed, they closely approach the standards of the ideal annual since they demand a minimum of attention, can be grown from seed as easily as zinnias or any other annual, are practically insect and disease-proof and so floriferous that a planting will display a continuous picture of gay color from early Summer until the plants are cut down by heavy frosts in the Fall. And too, many sorts are excellent for cutting. Since the flowers are large and borne on stiff stems they are effective when used in flower arrangements indoors.

Seed of dwarf dahlias germinate easily and develop so quickly that only a few weeks after planting buds will appear. From sixty to ninety days is the average length of time necessary for the maturity of the plant to blooming stage. For extra early bloom the seeds are sown indoors in flats in March or early April, and, as the plants develop, are transplanted carefully to larger flats and finally outdoors when danger of frost is past. These plants will show bloom by the last of June.

Seed sown in a protected seed-bed outdoors will develop rapidly, bloom promptly and continue until the plant is cut down by frost. The tuber can be lifted and stored for use the following season.

No Staking Needed

PLANTS of bedding dahlias need no staking since they are compact, sturdy of stem and the tallest sorts grow not more than two and one-half feet tall. For best results the plants are set about two and one-half feet apart in well-drained, rich soil, in a sunny location. Since all dahlias are gross feeders, occasional applications of a well-balanced plant food before a rain, or before a thorough deep watering if the season is dry, will produce more and better bloom. For the miniature and dwarf bedding types, no disbudding is needed. Faded flowers, of course, should be kept cut in order to lengthen the season of bloom.

Dwarf Mignon Dahlias are most showy in the border. The single flowers are large—many five inches across—and borne freely on two-foot plants. Colors of bloom range from white and pastel shades of pink lavender and salmon through orange, crimson, purple and yellow, some are self-colored and some plants produce blooms whose petals are bi-color and striped.

Ball-Shaped Flowers

POMPOM Dwarf Dahlias are always interesting because of their quaint ball-shaped flowers. The new dwarf hybrids are more compact of bush, more floriferous than the older, taller-growing sorts. Colors range from white through pink, yellow and apricot. Pompoms are always valuable for table decoration because of their odd and pleasing shape and their exceptional keeping qualities.

Most unusual are the Star or Orchid-Flowered Dwarf Dahlias. The blooms are characterized by graceful infolding petals which present the effect of a star or orchid-shaped flower. Self-colors, as well as striped and spotted effects, make this flower arresting.

The Coltness Hybrids are ideal both for bedding effect and for cutting. The one and one-half to two-foot bushes are compact, almost as broad as they are high, the foliage luxuriant and closely set, the flowers showy and single, three and one-half inches in diameter, with flat or slightly-fluted petals of exquisite texture and colors. The Coltness Hybrids are remarkably free-flowering, so that a plant at maturity has the appearance of a compact, gaily-colored bouquet. The stems of this sort are long, too, which makes these lovely single flowers valuable for Autumn flower arrangements.

Fine Zinnias Assured With Little Care

THERE are few half hardy annuals more popular than zinnias. There is nothing stiff or formal about the giant modern strains, which carry their gorgeous colored blooms on stems two or three feet in length. Scabious flowered zinnias are a distinct "break" of recent introduction. The flowers are medium sized, the outer petals being surrounded by a double inner crest on a handsome plant. The small double Lilliput is a type with small flowers but of free flowering habit, dwarf and very bushy, about eighteen inches in height.

Zinnias are tender plants which cannot be put out in the open until all danger of frosts or cold weather is past. More failures with zinnias are due to sowing seeds too early than from any other cause. If the seeds are sown too early the young plants will have to remain, root-bound in the boxes, for too long a time before they can be planted out with safety. The result is that they become stunted and unhealthy. When planted in their flowering quarters, such specimens rarely, if ever, grow away strongly. Before the first few weeks have passed, the majority will have collapsed entirely.

Give Sunny Position

ZINNIAS do best in a sunny position in a rich and moderately light soil which should be sheltered from high winds. When planting, press the soil firmly around the roots, firm the surrounding ground also and afterwards give a good watering. Keep the surface soil loose with a hoe and do not neglect to apply plenty of water in dry weather.

Those who have no facilities for raising the seeds under glass can obtain quite good results by sowing out of doors. Select a warm sunny bed and make the soil both rich and fine. Should the soil be dry at the time of sowing, water well the day before. Sow the seeds in groups of three or four, with intervals of fifteen inches between each clump. Cover with fine soil and later, when the seedlings are large enough, thin out to one plant in each group. The seeds will germinate freely out of doors in favorable weather.

Fortunately the zinnia is not much troubled by pests. Slugs may be a nuisance with the young plants, but these can be dealt with by one of the slug killers. Decay of the stems is more serious and to check this the seedlings should be watered with cheshunt compound. Any badly affected specimens should be pulled up and burned as soon as detected.

Dairying in Greece

BUFFALOES, milch cows, ewes and goats provide the milk supply of Greece. The milk of buffaloes and cows is used mainly for the liquid market, and the milk of ewes and goats for making cheese. There are approximately 220,000 milch cows, 70,000 buffaloes, nearly nine million sheep and over five and a half million goats in Greece. The yield from cows, goats and ewes closely approaches each other, the supply from buffaloes being eight times less.

Club Root of Cabbage Destructive Disease

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KNOBBY root swellings on cabbage, cauliflower, wallflower and other crucifers, is caused by one of Nature's worst enemies, a slime mold with the scientific name of "Plasmodiophora brassicae." This swelling disease called club-root is spreading rapidly in the coastal areas of British Columbia and is causing increasing losses.

Prevention of club-root is much easier than getting control once the disease becomes established in the soil. Every grower who is free of this menace would be well advised to be on his guard against it. Carefully examine plants before purchasing, or planting, for root swellings. If there is any evidence of swellings, plants from the same source should not be used. Infected plants have spread the disease more than in any other way. Manure from livestock fed on diseased roots should also not be used. Fortunately the parasite is not carried on the seed.

Is Persistent Disease

GETTING rid of club-root once the soil has become contaminated is very difficult and requires many years of painstaking effort. No plants belonging to the cabbage family, the cruciferae, for example cauliflower, turnips, kale, mustards, wallflowers, etc., should be grown in infected soil for at least five or six years and preferably more. Fortunately any plants not belonging to the cabbage family can be grown with safety.

Every effort should be made to create conditions that this plant enemy does not like, such as well-drained and heavily-limed soil. It thrives on poorly drained acid soils. After having starved the parasite by not growing any of the crops belonging to the cabbage family for five years or more, it is advisable to increase the alkalinity of the soil by heavy applications of agricultural lime, at least two to three tons per acre. It is not usually practicable to apply a sufficient quantity of lime to make the soil alkaline to what chemists call a pH of 7.2, a condition under which the parasite can hardly live at all and can do very little damage.

Flowers Easily Grown

THERE are gardens that fit almost any situation. For those people who have neither the time nor inclination, there are plenty of annual flowers that thrive on neglect. A little digging of the ground in late Spring is all that is required. Take such things as alyssum, dwarf marigolds, portulaca and California poppies for edging. These are little flowers that almost seed themselves, crowd out weeds, do well in any location but prefer sun and light soil. Once started, they will look after themselves.

For the centre of beds or near the back, large flowers such as calendula, nasturtium, poppy and phlox will make a good showing, and for screens castor beans, dahlias, cosmos, sunflower, tall marigold are advised.

For scent, especially in the evening, a few nicotine, carnations, mignonette or stocks will perfume the whole garden.

BEAUTIFUL CLEMATIS IN INGLENOOK GARDEN

In What Otherwise Might Be a Drab Corner of Inglenook Garden, Maplewood Avenue, There Is This Two Story Bird House Atop a Fine Pink Clematis. In the Garden There Are Hundreds of Varieties of Flowers in Full Bloom These Days, Attracting Many Visitors. Due to the Season There Are Many Plants Blooming Abnormally Early. Among These Is a Variety of Iris Which, in Other Years, Has Not Come Into Flower Until August.

Preparing Delphiniums for Crops of Color to Come

IT is not too early to give serious thought to July's prospective crop of hybrid delphinium. In fact, these heavenly flowers, coming in double, two-tone combinations of light blue, dark blue, medium blue, magenta, lavender and white are no longer to be passed up even by the amateur. Hybridizers are constantly making them easier to grow, and flower lovers are constantly increasing their knowledge of seed-sowing and soil culture. So that now anybody who is not a rank neophyte may achieve five to seven-foot stalks bearing three-inch blooms on two to three-foot flowering spikes.

Seeds, seedlings and full-grown plants are all within the budget of the average gardener. Dollar for dollar the purchaser will get as much, if not more beauty for his money as in the production of many of the commoner flowers. That is, twelve delphinium plants will give as much garden loveliness as thirty-six plants of some other perennial, costing just as much.

Now is the time to consider a sowing of seeds to provide the beginner with a touch of bloom in September and some full-grown plants in 1942. And the "old-timer" will sow more seeds in order to give him a continuation of blooms all through the Summer, until killing frosts come.

Full-grown plants will bloom in late June and early July, and again in September or early October. Yearlings will bloom in July or August, and seeds sown in April will give some bloom in September of this year. Comparatively heavy blooms in August or September reward the sower who puts his seeds into seed-boxes under glass indoors or in greenhouses in February of early March.

Soil Mixtures

THE best soil mixture for sowing delphinium seeds consists of one-third garden soil, one-third leafmold and one-third clean builders' sand. The seeds are first dusted lightly but thoroughly with a commercial disinfectant or red copper oxide to kill any dormant fungus growth on seeds or in the soil. Experts say that between one-eighth and one-quarter of an inch of soil is sufficient to cover them.

In ten to fifteen days the little seeds start to sprout. The cloth covering is removed at once, and a cheesecloth or lath shade frame placed over the young seedlings to keep out some of the light and heat and to keep in the moisture. All delphiniums do best in cool, damp temperatures, as they are essentially a Northern climate plant. When the tender seedlings have attained a height of an inch or two the shade-frame may be removed, and the plants transplanted six to nine inches apart in a specially prepared bed of sifted compost soil, mixed with leafmold and sand. A light feeding of any good commercial fertilizer will strengthen the root system and speed up general growth. Another transplanting to a foot apart a month to six weeks later is recommended in order to further strengthen root growth and keep the plants from being spindly.

The plants are fed two or three times during the Summer and, finally, at the last transplanting. The best mulch for delphiniums (and for practically all similar perennials) in late Fall is a quart of sifted coal ashes or sand to each plant, or some coarse material such as grass clippings.

New Petunia Champion Bred by Secret Method

ALL-DOUBLE dark blue petunia Blue Brocade, which won the silver medal in the All-America contest for new flowers for 1941, was produced by a secret process which plant breeders throughout the world have been trying for years to discover.

The secret is, how to make a double petunia bear seed. Breeders in this country have never done it, so far as is known. To produce seeds they take pollen from double flowers to fertilize semi-double flowers, which become the seed parents, but the resulting seeds never produce 100 per cent double flowering plants. Only a certain portion, up to 40 per cent, are double.

A Japanese breeder astonished the experts several years ago by announcing that he had solved the problem and bred an all-double petunia strain, since when he has selected ten different colors. He has kept his secret well. Blue Brocade is a rich deep violet, with flowers of medium size, fully double, borne on dwarf plants.

American breeders claim to be making headway in solving the secret of all-double petunias, and promise to have seed in another four years.

Hog Outlook

THE Canadian hog outlook for 1941 is marked by indications that marketings will show a further increase from a year ago, says the Current Review of Agricultural Conditions in Canada. A smaller increase will, it is expected, be shown in the last six months of 1941 in comparison with the first six months.

Soil Treatment Before Sowing the Seeds

ANY well-rounded programme of disease control must have a starting point. In attempting to insure a healthy garden the best place to start is with the seed. In the past, home gardeners often have been disappointed with the poor germination of the flower and vegetable seeds they planted. Instead of obtaining a hundred or more plants from a certain packet of seed, they got only a dozen or so, and in some instances not a single plant came up. They probably blamed this on poor seed and vowed not to buy any more seed from that particular firm. Once in a great while, poor seed is responsible for thin stands, but most often poor stands are a result of attack by harmful fungi and molds in the soils.

The simplest way to destroy soil-borne organisms and to prevent poor germination is to treat the soil beforehand with formaldehyde. A tablespoon of 40 per cent formaldehyde (which may be purchased at any drug store) is diluted with three or four parts of water. This mixture is then sprinkled over an average-sized flat of soil and thoroughly mixed in. Soil thus treated is allowed to stand for twenty-four hours to allow the formaldehyde fumes to destroy harmful organisms. After twenty-four hours, the seeds are planted and the soil watered thoroughly. That's all there is to it.

Gardeners who doubt that this treatment works marvels should plant a few flats of soil without formaldehyde treatment, a few with treatment, and see for themselves what a great difference there is between the number of healthy plants in treated flats, as compared with the untreated.

This treatment has been tested on more than sixty commonly-grown annual and perennial flowering seeds and many vegetables.

Plants Under Glass

BOTH fresh air and moisture in the atmosphere are necessary to the healthy growth of plants under glass. Plants breathe through their leaves and absorb from the atmosphere gases which unite with the moisture taken up from the soil by their roots. Throughout the daylight hours, plants absorb carbonic acid gas and exhale oxygen. If a greenhouse remains closed, the atmosphere becomes unhealthy for plants. While plants continue to draw moisture from the soil, they have the power to release, through the pores of their leaves, the moisture which is superfluous to their needs at the moment. But if the surrounding atmosphere is excessively dry, it will continue to draw moisture from the plants until they lose so much that the leaves become limp and droop with exhaustion. That is why it is necessary to use the syringe and to damp down the floors and staging on hot, dry days.

Top Layer and Sub-Soil Must Be Prepared to Receive New Roses

A GOOD proportion of the hundreds of thousands of roses planted each Spring by enthusiastic amateurs gets off to a poor start because of improper planting. The best rose plant in the world may fail to give satisfactory results unless it is placed in soil adequately prepared in advance, and handled in such a way that new root growth and top growth will be encouraged.

The careful gardener will plan his operations before the arrival of the plants. Whether a new rose bed is contemplated, or only the addition of a few new plants to an existing bed, it is essential that the ground be prepared to a good depth to encourage rapid and deep rooting.

The actual preparation of a rose bed is not very complicated. If the soil is light and drains freely, it is necessary only to remove that top eight to ten inches and prepare the next spade depth. A coating of two to three inches of well-rotted manure dug into this substratum and mixed thoroughly with it, will loosen it up and allow air and moisture to move freely.

Soil Preparation

WHEN this has been accomplished the top soil may be thoroughly mixed with half as much manure and be returned to its original position. Should no manure be available, a good fibrous peat-moss may be substituted. If this is done, a well-balanced fertilizer must be added with the peatmoss at the rate of four pounds per 100 square feet (or a tablespoonful to each plant) for the lower stratum and two pounds per 100 square feet for the top soil.

If the ground is heavy and has a tendency to remain wet, it is better to throw out the lower stratum as well as the upper and bring in about three to four inches of coarse gravel, cinders or rubble to insure the running off of all surplus water, roses do not like wet feet.

When the plants arrive, the box is opened immediately and the plants examined. If it is very early in the Spring and if the bed is ready, they may be planted immediately. But they are then hilled up with dirt, and the tops covered as for Winter.

As a rule, rose plants sent out from nurseries are trimmed back ready for planting. The tops of hybrid tea roses should be no higher than eight inches above the swollen joint where they were budded. This joint is placed in planting just below or at the surface of the ground. In all cases at least two good eyes are left on each stem.

Moisture for Roots

WHEN setting out the bushes, placing the roots in a bucket of water, which can readily be carried about, is desirable. Plant roots are sensitive and if they are dried out by exposure to wind or sun it will take that much longer for new roots to start.

Holes dug for planting are made wide enough so the roots can be comfortably spread. This increases the feeding surface for each plant and insures more flowers and better growth later. The soil first filled in is made firm about the roots and watered very thoroughly before the balance of the hole is filled. Then the hilling and covering already mentioned can be completed. The soil is leveled around each plant after it starts to grow, so moisture will reach it.

Flowers for Planting in Early Spring

ALTHOUGH Autumn planting is usually recommended for the early Summer flowering biennials, like Sweet William and Canterbury bells, they may be planted in the early Spring with every prospect of obtaining a good display. These are invaluable for filling gaps in the herbaceous borders. They provide an effective link between the main Spring and Summer flowers. Canterbury bells are also attractive when planted in small borders near the house. Sweet Williams are useful for filling narrow beds on the lawn. In both cases the plants should be purchased soon and planted at one foot apart each way. To provide blooms in late Summer and Autumn, interplant them with gladioli.

The old-fashioned hollyhock is still as popular as ever and its modern varieties are among the most beautiful of Summer flowers. If you have a pergola of rambler roses, try planting hollyhocks between the pillars, the effect will be very pleasing. Hollyhocks are also delightful for grouping at the back of the herbaceous borders and also look well when planted against the wall of a house which has been treated with white or cream distemper. Hollyhocks like a deep, rich soil and should be planted not less than eighteen inches apart.

Another charming Summer flower is the aquilegia which, in most gardens is best treated as a biennial. Aquilegias do not object to partial shade and the flowers are excellent for cutting.

Millions of Chicks

OF the 18,700,000 chicks produced in Canada in 1940 under the Dominion poultry breeding programme, more than 3,400,000 were R.O.P. (Record of Performance) sired. Preliminary reports in 1941 show an even stronger trend towards the use of R.O.P. males to head commercial hatchery flocks.

A Page For CHILDREN

The Interesting Nuthatches

L. L. REED, in Our Dumb Animals

WE are all familiar with the black-capped chickadee, that lively little bird which spends both Winter and Summer with us. Often in flocks of a score or more they will flit from tree to tree searching out worms and insects which are their principal food. The little chickadee is the most common boarder at almost any feeding table.

Because we are so well acquainted with the chickadee, we often overlook another of our feathered friends, who is just as active and interesting, although not quite so numerous, nor so friendly. This is the nuthatch, and he is a good bird to know, for he is one of our most valuable birds because almost all of his food is insects, insect eggs and insect larvae which he finds on the trunks and branches of the trees. Among the nuthatches there are two common varieties, the white-breasted nuthatch, seen most often in the deciduous or hardwood forests, and the red-breasted nuthatch, most often found in coniferous or evergreen forests. Either of these nuthatches may be seen frolicking and hunting food with a flock of chickadees. The chickadees and nuthatches seem to like each other's company and, what is more, they are both known as upside-down birds. They can come down a tree head first quite as easily as they can go up. They will often be observed going completely around a horizontal branch in search of insects and larvae. The long pointed bills of the nuthatches equip them well for digging into the cracks and crevices of tree bark for their food, but it is not true, as some believe, that the nuthatches can crack open hard-shelled nuts; their bills are too weak for this.

It is not hard to distinguish the nuthatches from the chickadees. All of them have black crowns, but the chickadee also has a black throat, which neither of the nuthatches has. The red-breasted nuthatch not only differs from the white-breasted in the color of its breast, but it also has a white stripe and a black stripe, both of which start at the forehead and run back to the nape of the neck. The white-breasted nuthatch does not have these stripes.

These two nuthatches are native to the Eastern States and Canada. In other parts there are species which differ slightly. There is the Florida white-breasted nuthatch in the extreme Southern States; the slender-billed nuthatch on the Pacific Coast; and the Rocky Mountain or Nelson's nuthatch in the Western mountain states.

Every bird lover should make the acquaintance of one or more of the nuthatches. In observing them closely you will note many interesting characteristics. For instance, you will find that the nuthatches have the habit of hiding food in the trees for future use, much as the blue jay and Canada jay do.

The Lost Sheep

A shepherd missed a sheep one night,
  As he counted his flock in the fold,
So he took his rod, by the pale moonlight,
  And searched with courage bold.

About his ears the night wind howled,
  And the rain began to pour,
But never a sight of the sheep he found,
  Though he trod three miles or more.

The storm grew loud but, hark! he heard
  The bleat of a sheep in the corrie.
Again he listened, again it came,
  Lonesome, through a windy gully.

He found his weary sheep that night,
  Though the storm blew loud and the rain,
But he guided her home with the help of his dog,
  And the sheep never strayed again.
    —May Wilson (Spean Bridge)

To Lady Douglas

To Lady Douglas and the cherry tree now blooming in her old garden (From the children of Victoria, April 1941).

In the distant April days,
Lady of the gentle ways,
From your window you could see
All the beauty of this tree
And your children, girls and boys,
Played beneath with simple toys.

Now your house no longer stands,
And the grass has clothed the lands,
Still your tree, so staunch and true,
Blooms in memory of you.
We would join our hands and sing
With this tribute of the Spring.

May our lives be fair to see
As your blossoming cherry tree;
May our souls be pure and sweet
As the petals at our feet.
    —Frances Ebbs-Canavan.

A Nourishing Diet

DURING a natural history examination a small boy was asked which of all the creatures eats less foods than any other.

He replied that it was the moth, because it eats holes.

FAITHFUL FRIENDS OF MAN—AND CHILDREN—ARE THESE DOGS OF QUALITY
The Picture in Upper Left Shows a Group of Rough Coated Collies. Lower Left Is a Prize Winning Bulldog. Lower Centre Is a Purebred St. Bernard, Lower Right a West Highland White Puppy, and Upper Right a Group of British Bulldogs. These Dogs Were Recently on Display at Invercargill, New Zealand, by the Southland Kennel Club

Bobby and Billy

BOBBY-Y-Y-Y! Billy-y-y-y!" "There's Nurse calling us for bed," and Bobby gave a vicious clutch at a clump of grass.

"Ugh!" said Billy. "Don't let's answer. She'll find us here."

"Every night she makes it earlier," grumbled Bobby. "How can a fellow go to bed when the sun's shining like anything. We're not babies like Dicky and Sammy."

"Bobby-y-y-y! Billy-y-y-y!"

Billy rolled over with a smothered giggle and Bobby clapped his hand over his mouth as they watched Nurse go slowly down the path and cross the road. "She's gone over to Jimmy's to look for us. Now's our time! I've got a great idea for a spree," said Bobby, who was always the leader in mischief. "Follow me and crawl over the grass."

They made their way slowly, back of the barn, to a dividing fence.

"Are we going there?" asked Billy, excitedly.

"Yup! You know how often we've planned it, and now's our chance. I found a big hole in the hedge the other day, so come on."

They crawled through to the next garden, a wilderness of flowers and weeds. In the distance they could see the windows of the house, tightly shuttered and closed, for no one had lived there since before they were born, and it had always been a place of mystery and delight to them. They followed the weed-grown path toward the house, looking round them curiously.

"Be careful!" cried Bobby, suddenly.

Billy started back nervously.

"You nearly stepped on that caterpillar!" Looking down, Billy saw just at his feet a long, silvery, curly caterpillar. He stepped over it carefully, for both boys loved all living creatures and would not willingly harm one. "I'm glad you're not cruel!" "What did you say?" asked Bobby. "I didn't say anything," said Billy, staring.

"I did though!" said a voice, that seemed to come from below.

Looking down, they saw a beautiful butterfly just where the caterpillar had been. "You saved my life and I certainly am grateful. I wonder if you would like to see Butterfly-land? Of course, I know you ran away from Nurse, but I don't think you will do that again, after you have been with me. It isn't always as much fun as it seems, you know. Will you come?"

Billy shook his head, but Bobby held his hand tight and said: "Yes, please! Come along, Billy! Here's a spree!"

"Well! Pick a leaf off that bush!" showing them one with small round leaves.

"That is our 'Ticket Bush.' Every leaf is a ticket for Butterfly-land. Pick one, say this verse as you hold it, with your eyes closed.

"Ticket-leaf! Ticket-leaf! In my hand
Take us, please, to Butterfly-land."

Holding hands tightly, they obeyed. "Count ten and open your eyes."

And they did indeed open their eyes—in wonder—as they gazed around them. On every side were the most beautiful flowers they had ever seen, on which were swaying butterfly sprites of all sizes and colors.

"This is our living-room, as you would call it," said their friend, "where we meet to have a good time, and in here is our dining-room," leading the way into a long narrow space, down the centre of which grew a long row of tall white lilies.

"I don't see anything to eat!" said Bobby.

"Oh yes. In those lily cups the 'housekeepers' gather the honey and flower juices we love. We all take turns to be 'housekeepers,' as they are called. But here is our 'Punishment-room.'"

They were now in a very large place, and all around them were Butterfly sprites, occupied in different ways and all looking dreadfully tired and unhappy. This seemed surprising, as they were not doing anything that seemed disagreeable.

"Disobedience is a great sin here, and you can see how we try to cure it. This little one," pointing to a sad-looking butterfly sprite, who was swinging on what appeared to be a lovely swing, "refused to stop swinging when she was told, so she has to go on swinging, swinging, all day, tired as she is. That one over there hid away when called, rather like some boys I know. Here she is peeping out, longing to be found, but nobody will seek her now, and she is sick enough of it by this time, I can tell you."

Bobby and Billy looked at each other guiltily.

"I'm glad we haven't any place like this," muttered Billy.

"Perhaps it wouldn't be so bad if you had."

"Why?" asked Bobby.

"Well! Just think for a moment how your Mother and Nurse are hunting for you and worrying about you."

"That is so," said Bobby, slowly. "Please, I think we'll go home."

"I think you're right. But any time you'd like to come again just go to the 'Ticket-Bush,' like you did today. But now close your eyes and say:

"Ticket-leaf, take us back home, I pray,
We'll visit the Butterflies some other day."

In a few minutes they were back in the old garden, on their way home.

"I'd love to go there again," said Billy, who had suddenly gotten very brave.

"So we will, but now we must go straight to Mother and tell her all about it."

Many times after this Billy and Bobby tried to find the "Ticket-Bush," but were never able to do so.

Tommy and Mary Mouse

By RUTH WEATHERBY

"OH, look," said Tommy Mouse to his sister Mary. "Honey, a whole can full. Let's get some."

"Do you think we should?" asked Mary doubtfully. "You know mother told us never to touch anything in cans unless she was with us."

"Oh, girls make me sick!" snorted Tommy. "They never want to do anything unless mother says it's all right. You're just afraid, that's all." And with these words he started to climb up onto the shelf where the honey can stood.

Mary hesitated a moment and then she, too, climbed up beside the forbidden tin.

Tommy tried the lid. "Gee, Mary," he cried gleefully, "we are in luck. The lid is not tight. See, I can move it easily. There, it's off." The lid rolled down onto the floor and under the table, where it stopped with a bang against the garbage pail.

"Oh, boy, a whole can full of honey. Yum, yum . . ." laughed Tommy, as he threw his leg over the edge of the pail. But just at that moment something started to happen! The can was tipping! Farther and farther it tilted, with Tommy clinging tightly to its edge. Then, with a plunk, it fell over on its side. Poor Tommy! You should have seen him. The honey spilled from the can and covered the little mouse from head to foot. He was just about the stickiest thing in the world.

Little Mary had tried to help by scampering up the side of the can to stop it from tipping, but she was much too small and light to make any difference. "Oh, Tommy," she cried, with tears in her eyes. "What will we do now? What will mother say?"

For several minutes Tommy was unable to talk because the honey completely covered his nose and mouth, but at last he got his face cleared enough to speak. "I don't know what we are going to do," he said, "but I do know that I have had enough honey to last me a long, long time. Mother said you could get too much of good things. I think I see what she meant now."

Mary helped Tommy out of the honey and together they ran over to the kitchen sink to wash off as much of the stickiness as they could. Of course their mother found out—mothers nearly always do—but she thought Tommy had learned his lesson and had been punished enough.

The two little mice stay out of the pantry now, and when they find a tin they turn their heads the other way.

"Obstacle Walk"

THIS is good fun, but can only be played once. Put in the centre of floor in a straight line a number of articles such as foot-stools, cushions, bottles, trays, etc. The leader tells one of the players that he will have to walk without any help along the path without touching any of the things on the floor. The player is then blindfolded, but while this is being done the articles on the floor have been quietly taken away. It is very amusing to watch the player in his antics, for he tries to miss all the things he still thinks are on the floor.

Broke His Word

GAZELLE being very hungry, went in search of something to eat. He saw a large cluster of palm nuts in the top of a palm tree, but he could not climb the tree because of his flat hoofs. So he went to Palm-Rat and said, "I have found some fine big palm nuts, but I cannot climb the tree. Will you run up and get them, and I will share them with you?"

Palm-Rat agreed, and, planting his sharp claws in the soft bark of the palm, he was soon at the top. But, instead of bringing down the ripe nuts as he had promised, he sat up in the tree and began eating them himself.

After a while Gazelle called up, "Friend Palm-Rat, bring me down some nuts, I'm hungry."

"Sorry," answered Palm-Rat. "When I'm eating I'm deaf and I cannot hear what you say."

Gazelle waited a while and then called again, "Could you just throw down a few nuts, friend Palm-Rat? I'm so hungry!"

But Palm-Rat pretended not to hear and went on eating.

Then Gazelle went into the jungle and gathered dry twigs and leaves and made a big fire at the foot of the palm tree.

"Put out the fire, friend Gazelle," called Palm-Rat, "the smoke is choking me."

"When I am warming myself," answered Gazelle, "I am deaf and I cannot hear what you say."

Again and again Palm-Rat called out, and at last he fell from the top of the tree right into the fire.

Gazelle ate him up, then returned to the village and took possession of Palm-Rat's house and all his goods and became very rich.

Watches and Sapphires

WATCHES are feeling the effects of the war. They are cut off from their supplies of sapphires, which watchmakers employ because of their hardness to lengthen the life of the bearings in fine watches.

Every such watch has several, but they are artificial, not real, jewels, and cost only about twopence each. They are made in Switzerland at Locarno, in France at Annecy, and in Germany at Bitterfeld, and all these sources have been shut down. The sapphires, and artificial rubies also, are made out of finely powdered alumina fused by an oxyhydrogen blowpipe by a patented process. The product comes out in blobs of the artificial material, like pears or carrots, and each blob, when cut up by special instruments, produces hundreds of these artificial sapphires, which are next in hardness to a diamond.

A Gift

AN artist was showing his friend round an art gallery.

"Your pictures are wonderful," said the friend. "And to think that you never had a lesson in painting! Art is a gift with you."

"I suppose it is," replied the artist gloomily. "Nobody will buy it."

Ran Tersen's Scrapbook

Random Jottings From Here and There in the World of Nature

Sagacious Sea Otter

ONCE the most prized fur-bearing animal of the Pacific Northwest, the sea otter was almost exterminated by ruthless hunters who slaughtered this marine animal for its long-haired glossy hide. Now, after years of careful conservation, the sea otter is again being found in its favorite haunts on the Pacific Coast. Unlike its fresh-water cousin, the land otter, this sea-loving animal eats but little fish, preferring a rough diet of sea urchins. And apparently sea otters are not bothered by indigestion, for they eat these spiny-coated echinoderms, prickles and all! Also it is fond of mollusks of many kinds and has developed a most peculiar way of opening the stronger shelled ones. Picking up a flat stone from the ocean bottom, the otter will roll over on its back and, resting the luckless shellfish on the improvised anvil, will pound on the tough shell until it is broken.

Not-So-Blue Sea

RECENTLY scientists who have been studying the color of the ocean have revealed many interesting facts about the deep "blue" sea. These oceanographers tell us that the sea may have such colors as red, brown, yellow and green, as well as the usual blue coloration. The sky often is responsible for a grey or a green sea, but the changing amounts of salt in the water is more often the cause of the different color effects. Sometimes the change in shade is caused by immense quantities of tiny plants or animals whose great numbers discolor water for many square miles.

Water in the Brain

NO wonder people can scoff at one of your ideas and say "You're all wet!"—they probably have learned that your brain is more than 86 per cent water!

Turned Up in Turnip

NATURE has proven herself a remarkable undertaker at times by preserving insects in solid amber and saving the great carcasses of the wooly mammoth in Siberian ice. But, when a housekeeper in England recently found a sparrow inside a turnip, it seems as though nature has devised an entirely new method of animal preservation. Nobody is yet quite sure just how the trick was performed, for there were no signs on the outside of the vegetable to indicate how the sparrow got inside.

Plant Stowaway

PLANTS are great travelers. Not that any plant will just pull up roots and all, and move away to another town or country. Yet plants do make long journeys by way of their seeds. When Christopher Columbus and his crew sailed away from Spain, they little dreamed that there were stowaway plants aboard the Pinta, Nina and Santa Maria. For instance, one of these boats might well have brought over the golden dandelion which now graces every roadside corner in North America. This plant was not known here until after the first boat arrived from the Old World. Since that time they have managed to spread themselves by "parachute" until they have taken possession of our land.

Picnic Specialities

JUST in case you have ever wondered, a mucilaginous extract from the roots of the mallow plant gives us the fine flavoring used to make those delicacies so loved for outdoor picnics, the marshmallow candies. Incidentally, the mallow was another stowaway plant, probably arriving on our shores on the shoes of some of the early settlers.

Stewed Violets

IN Europe during the Middle Ages cooks often added finely-chopped violets to their salads. Sometimes the violets were boiled with a seasoning of fennel and savory to make a kind of soup. And for a special dessert the ladies of the mediaeval castle would serve a dish made from stewed roses!

Scotland

I often think of you,
  Oh, Scotland I love,
Here where the desert sun
  Beats down from above.

The rolling, sandy waste,
  What is it to me?
I long for Scotland's hills,
  Far over the sea.

The palm trees, tall and straight,
  Give me no thrill.
The green trees of the North,
  I love them all still.

Oh that I could return,
  Fast over the foam,
Back to the land I love,
  The land that is home.
    —Alison MacDonald (Leeds).

Great Britain and the Dominions Overseas

Many Boy Players Now Take Part in Professional Games

Football Managers Are Calling on Lads in 'Teens as Increasing Numbers of First Team Men Report for Military Service

LONDON (BUP)—More and more boy players are taking part in the big professional soccer games in Britain, helping to keep the game going. As increasing numbers of regular first team men are being called up, the club managers have no alternative but to call on lads in their 'teens for assistance.

Forty-three boy soccer players have been used by the eleven London clubs and their average is only seventeen and a half years. Big futures in the game are forecast for nearly all these boys and already a number have signed professional forms, though they will receive no retaining fee while the war lasts.

AVERAGE MAY BE LESS

As younger age groups are called to the colors, the average age may become even less and when organized football returns to normal, there may even be a flood of players with league experience many of them still in their 'teens.

Only two clubs in London do not run junior sides They are the Arsenal and the 'Spurs It was not possible for them to do this as they were sharing the same ground at Tottenham Yet, while the Arsenal have not played a single young amateur player this season who could be termed a junior, the 'Spurs, strangely enough, head the list with twelve.

All these boys have been developed by the club and a number of them have done extremely well Several have now signed professional forms for the club

Peter McWilliam, the 'Spurs manager, would not commit himself when asked to express an opinion as to which was the most promising.

"I am going to say" he said, "what I always say when asked to pick the best boys from a group They all have a chance of becoming regular league players.

PRAISE IS DANGEROUS

"It doesn't do to praise these boys too early in their careers. Too many careers are spoiled by boys getting big ideas about themselves before they are out of the apprenticeship stage."

Fulham, the West London team, have so far, however, used only one junior in their first team Here is Morris Richfield, an eighteen-year-old outside left, who is expected to do well

There are two other youngsters, of whom the manager, Mr Peart, thinks a lot They are Robert Read and W Cameron both eighteen years old

Mr Jimmy Seed, the former soccer star who now manages Charlton Athletic, has great hopes of the two juniors, P Etherton, an eighteen-year-old centre-forward, and E. Furmage, an outside-left of nineteen of whom he gave a chance in the Charlton first team Both boys are local

"I should like to sign them both up as professionals after the war, was the illuminating comment with which Mr Seed summed up his opinion of the two hopes.

CHELSEA'S JUNIORS

Chelsea are particularly proud of J R MacAulay a right-half, who, after eight games with the juniors, has now made the position his own in the first team Three other juniors of high praise who have been used in the Chelsea first team are F Cronk, R Greenwood and G Hurley

Queen's Park Rangers, Millwall, Brentwood Crystal Palace and Clapton Orient have each promoted several youngsters to their first teams, and all promotions have been fully justified West Ham's office boy Eddie Chapman, is still only seventeen but he had already established himself before this season as a coming player.

Thus, in an organized fashion, London's soccer chiefs are diligently working to keep the game healthy while the war continues, and, of course, there is really no better way than finding assistance from the keenest followers of the game among the youth of the country.

Naturally there are still many difficulties confronting the soccer clubs Sometimes the difficulties are serious and cause bad headaches. Sometimes they are perhaps more amusing Here, for example, are a few instances which prove the latter point

Recently the chairman of the Brighton Soccer Club, Charles Wakeling, had to leave his board room guests to dash out and act as emergency gateman at the turnstiles Grabbing a block of shilling tickets, he sold them to a jostling crowd of Cup-cheery fans, thus relieving pressure on gates that were working overtime

CHAIRMAN AT GATE

This is believed to be the first time a chairman has had to act as gateman, but the situation was understandable

Brighton, accustomed these days to skeleton crowds of hundreds, was not prepared for the rosetted, enthusiastic Cup horde that invaded the ground for Arsenal's visit Five thousand was Chairman Wakefield's forecast Instead, he had to cater for nearly 11 000 Apart from the first fifteen minutes, it was Arsenal's game. They won 4-1

The supporters of that hard-struggling London club, Clapton Orient, are used to the sight of a notice board appealing for players being sent round the ground But they had a shock when a notice board came round asking for a referee and a couple of linesmen!

It seems that the officials for the club's War Cup duel with Aldershot hadn't arrived. Play was held up with everyone hoping for the best Finally an appeal was made to the crowd Three volunteers were found, and the game started forty minutes late.

ART BOND FOR DEMOCRACIES

Director of Yale University Library Gathers Collection in Australia

MELBOURNE, Australia—The importance of exchanges of art collections as a means of strengthening the bonds between the democracies was emphasized in a national broadcast in Australia by Professor Theodore Sizer, director of the Yale University Library who has gathered a representative collection of Australian art works for exhibition in the United States and Canada

"It is not only common sense, but in this world crisis it is essential that the people of the democratic way of life should know each other well, and one of the most effective methods of obtaining this end is through art, he said.

"In this collection I am taking back 150 years of Australian art which will be presented to the American and Canadian people The exhibition will illustrate the historical development as well as depict the lives of the people at work and at play

PAINTINGS ON BARK

"It will include a splendid series of paintings done on the bark of trees by aborigines—art before the white man came. This will be followed by highly entertaining examples of primitive art influenced by the early settlers. There will be water color drawings by the early navigators and explorers.

"Then there will be the later and more familiar work of the London and Paris-trained men The exhibition will conclude with interesting examples by the modernists

"The pictures will be supplemented by half a dozen pieces of sculpture in all there will be 100 works"

RING OF HISTORY FOUND IN FIELD

SYDNEY, Australia A ring found in a corn field on Glendon Estate, near Singleton has probably lain there for a century, although the ground on which it was discovered has been cultivated and resown many times in the last 100 years

The ring provides a link between the present day as represented by the Mitchell Library, Sydney and the pioneering era of the Singleton district It is inscribed Helenus Scott, M.D., O.B.T. 18th November, 1821

Dr Scott died in 1821 on the ship Bristomart while voyaging from London to Sydney He was buried at the Cape of Good Hope. He left two sons, Helenus and Robert, who arrived in Australia alone They imported sheep, cattle and horses, and commenced vine growing on Glendon Estate David Scott Mitchell, who presented the Mitchell Library to the State, was a grandson of the Helenus Mitchell whose father's ring has just been discovered.

Britain Wants Lots of Moles

LONDON (CP).—Britain wants 10,000,000 moleskins in a hurry. [illegible] council of the Board of Trade to bring in foreign exchange to help pay for war supplies from abroad In peacetime, London, world centre of the moleskin trade, used to get from Europe an average of 25,000,000 pelts annually. Most were re-exported to Canada, the United States and South America. They are needed now for export as skins for making up into moleskin garments for which markets are being developed abroad

PILOT'S STORY THRILLS STAFF

Tells of Crash and Rescue After Swim of Seven Miles

LONDON (CP) A twenty-six-year-old R.A.F. pilot held 1,500 aircraft workers spellbound—not by stunting high in the sky but by relating an account of his fight for life after a crash.

While making a night raid our engines conked out owing to ice," he said "At 7 000 feet we had orders to bail out While floating down I realized that the sea was beneath.

"I must have gone down a good depth because I came up with a terrific rush and was dragged along by my parachute at rapid speed I took off my parachute and boots and began to swim. It was not until dawn that the coast was visible three-quarters of a mile away I discarded my trousers and made a last effort Eventually soldiers hauled me onto the beach as I was too weak to help myself." He had been in the sea more than six hours and swam seven miles

GERMAN REFUGEE GETS COMMISSION

LONDON (BUP) British military authorities made a big break with current practice when for the first time in this war the King's Commission was granted to a German

This German refugee was one of the first "enemy aliens" to enlist when the Pioneer Corps accepted them early last year He served with them in Britain and later in France, and took part in the evacuation from Dunkerque Now he has been given the rank of second-lieutenant after having undergone training on the same lines as British candidates for commissions He is under thirty and was forced to leave Germany owing to his anti-Nazi activities

Up till the present all officers commanding foreign units of the Pioneer Corps have been British

A lot of clearance work in the bombed areas of London and other cities has been done by German pioneers

AUSTRALIA MAKES LATEST WEAPONS

Huge Armament Programme Now Includes Land Mines of Most Modern Type

SYDNEY, Australia (BUP)—Australia's huge armament programme, now well into its stride, includes, among the new weapons of war, the world's most modern type of land mines

Hundreds of thousands of these small but deadly obstacles, designed to impede the advance of enemy infantry tanks, are being turned out by mass production methods in a factory Portable land mines, which can be sown quickly in front of a defended position, are a comparatively new type of army equipment It was not until the Spanish Civil War that experiments were made with small portable contact mines which could be scattered like seeds in the path of an attacking enemy force

The first of these land mines were primitive affairs, being little more than jam tins filled with explosives, and fitted with a simple form of detonator. The idea was seized upon and developed secretly by most of the great powers Little was heard of them, however, until the Battle of Bardia, in the Libyan campaign, when war correspondents reported their use by the Italians.

The mine takes the form of a pressed steel container, shaped like a flat round tin Filled with explosive, it explodes on contact Camouflaged with paint, it is practically invisible if laid on the surface of the ground in grass, sand or scrub.

Visiting Canadian Troops

Deeply interested were the King and Queen when they visited units of Canadian soldiers training in England, and Their Majesties spent a very busy day with the Dominion's troops. The King went for a rough and uncushioned ride in one of the Bren gun carriers used by the Canucks, and he is shown, top, climbing from the machine with Major-General Victor Odlum, who accompanied him. In the picture below Her Majesty is reviewing troops of a central Ontario regiment drawn up for her inspection. Major-General Odlum is again acting as guide for the Royal visitor.

Little Exaggeration To State That Every Australian Is Rider

Youngsters Get First Lessons on Horseback as Soon as Able to Walk—Practically All Learn First-Class Horsemanship

SYDNEY, Australia.—It has been said that every Australian rides. That may be a slight exaggeration, but it is near enough to the truth to pass, particularly as applied to Australians raised in the country, or the "bush."

Horses, cattle and sheep are friends and familiars to country lads and lassies from their earliest years. Youngsters get their first lessons in riding as soon as they can walk, and begin learning the feel of saddles and reins A few years later they ride to school along roads, through forests, across plains, and by the time they have reched second or third grade they are trying out their horses over fallen trees or fences of varying heights, dependent upon their own daring or the jumping ability of their mounts

NOT SURPRISING

Under such circumstances it is not surprising that practically all country people become good riders, many of them superb in all the arts of horsemanship City folk do not have equal opportunities, but nearly all have friends or relatives in the country and their greatest joy is to go "bush at vacation time, to learn to ride, to join in the great games of cattle mustering or hunting the bounding kangaroo Cattle, sheep and farming lands come almost to the city's gates, there are many holidays for the toilers of shop and factory, and therefore it is not difficult for city people to learn enough of horsemanship to see them through.

POLO COSTS MONEY

While horseback riding is a sport available to the masses, polo is in a different category Except for the sheep and cattle men, who usually own or lease great areas of land and breed horses as a matter of course, the purchase and upkeep of a string of polo ponies calls for a long and well-filled purse Even the owner of a station, the name applied in Australia to a ranch, must be well in the money before he aspires to become a polo player because the game is expensive even under the most favorable conditions So it is that polo is only for the limited few, but among those so favored in Australia there are some great players and grand horses

GREAT MALLET-MEN

New South Wales, the oldest and most populated state, has so far produced the greatest mallet-men Many of the most famous have come from the Harden and Goulburn districts. Few have earned greater fame than the Ashton Brothers of Goulburn, whose skill and daring have won plaudits of polo fans at home, in India, England and the United States. In New South Wales polo does not have to compete against fox hunting which attracts many of the best horsemen in Victoria

COMPETITION GAMES

Regular competition polo games are played in several of the states, producing thrilling fights between the gamest of riders and the toughest of horses The big series in Sydney is played each June for the Dudley Cup and in March the Stradbroke Cup is competed for in Melbourne The Barr-Smith Cup is the big event in Adelaide Teams from New Zealand visit Australia on occasion, and the resulting matches are invariably exciting

Some of the finest players and horses come from the western district of Victoria, where there are many rich station properties Normally half-a-dozen clubs operate in Victoria, but today many of the best players are engaged in the grim game of war.

Men of the cattle country are natural polo players, there are no finer riders than the stockmen of the 'outback more especially those of the great Queensland pastoral areas Mustering of wild cattle is a job that calls for nerve and skill and horses are trained to ride off steers in much the same manner that polo players shoulder each other in the game

TRAINED HORSES

So highly trained are the horses that they work the cattle with but little guidance from the riders, exhibiting dashes of speed and lightning twists and turns Use of the short-handled fourteen-foot Australian stockwhip is good training for men who also handle the polo mallet

Polo, as played in Australia, is a hard, fast game, tough on riders and mounts, with no apologies called for nor expected A grand sport of sportsmanship is present at all times.

Country First Husband Second Says Lady M.P.

LONDON (BUP).—[illegible] husbands to second place and let's get on with the war effort, sums up the opinion of Dr. Edith Summerskill, Labor M.P. for Fulham, W., who spoke in a recent Commons debate on "Man Power and Production"

"It is not a question of telling the women it is their duty to come out to, the factory," she said "You have also to tell the husband that the first loyalty of his wife in the near future is to the State, and secondly to himself"

Dr. Summerskill married Dr E Jeffrey Samuel in 1925, has one son and daughter, and has represented West Fulham since 1938. She qualified as a doctor in 1924, following studies at King's College, London, and Charing Cross Hospital

Addressing Mr Bevin the Minister of Labor, Dr. Summerskill said. "Women who had thought simply in terms of cooking, cleaning and looking after the house cannot be turned almost overnight into first-class industrial workers"

"I suggest that the Minister take one step immediately, and that is to make the women of the country war-minded, and the husbands of the country war-minded, and to make them realize the war will entail great sacrifices"

R.A.F. DIRECT ARMORED CARS

Ground Crews Giving Great Help to Wavell's Victorious Army

LONDON (CP) Royal Air Force personnel serving in the Middle East desert are rendering valuable assistance to Britain's victorious forces under General Wavell.

Some of the most dramatic details of their life will never be entirely disclosed The Air Ministry news service from R.A.F. headquarters of the Middle East Command describes the work of the little-known R.A.F. armored car units.

For hundreds of miles these armored cars penetrate behind enemy lines in uncharted wilderness, which is their battlefield. During the advance on Bengasi their work was invaluable

They work together in groups of three and are often away from their base for lengthy periods Often they run short of water. Gazelle and buzzard are daily fare Frequently they have to fight their way out of a circle of troops.

One armored car while on patrol had mechanical trouble, 100 miles from their nearest British comrades. The crew cut their ration to one cup of water a day, each figuring they could last four days this way.

At the risk of disclosing their position to the nearby enemy they lit a fire and a R.A.F. plane landed by them after seeing the SOS signal.

A minor battle was entailed in the get-away, as Italians had spotted them The enemy was put to flight and prisoners were taken The machine suffered damage and the pilot and armored car crew worked feverishly repairing the plane to make it air worthy, before fresh Italian troops could arrive In an hour they had taken to the air and the situation was saved.

Canadian Brand Of Blackout Has Own Peculiarity

Even Blacker in Some Respects Than Permanent London Darkness—Street Lights Entirely Out Instead of Feebly Glowing—Great Difference Made by Traffic Stoppage

By BRIAN A TOBIN

SAINT JOHN, N.B. (BUP).—With Eastern Canadian ports staging periodic blackouts and Pacific Coast cities preparing to do likewise let me describe an air raid blackout, 1941 Canadian model. I have just experienced my first one on this side of the Atlantic, and found it even blacker in some respects than the permanent London darkness which I recently left behind me

I was standing in the lobby of a local hotel about 10 o'clock the other night when the brightly-lighted room was suddenly plunged into complete blackness Almost immediately the glow of a flashlight appeared at the registry I groped my way over

"What's all this" I asked

"Blackout, said the clerk "Didn't you hear the sirens"

I heard them at that moment Not so loud, not so eerie as London's Moaning Minnies but with the same wavering seasick note

With both hands following the wall, I stumbled to the doorway Lights throughout the hotel, as in other buildings had been extinguished by a single throw of the switch

IN THE STARLIGHT

I got to the pavement Here it was a little better, as starlight showed things up dimly Street lights were out, though London's still function in a feeble way Hardly a window in the city showed the tiniest gleam

I had that old London feeling as I walked carefully along the street, getting my eyes accustomed to the darkness The intervening weeks slipped away and once more I was in the Strand . . . Regent Street . . . Ludgate Hill

But soon I noticed a difference I had the sidewalk practically to myself My progress was not featured by the bump! "Sorry" Sump! Bump! 'So Sorry' which impedes the early evening pedestrian in London. People were standing, chatting quietly, along the sides of the buildings I seemed to be the only one walking

The general silence was also impressive. Apart altogether from the absence of falling bombs, raiders engines droning overhead, or anti-aircraft barking around the city, there was a stillness everywhere, as though the city were holding its breath

Suddenly I got it No traffic

LACK OF TRAFFIC

That was why it was different from London No taxis streetcars or buses rumbled along, oblivious of the blackout No cars made their way along the darkened streets . They were all parked at the curb, their headlights out.

Down the silent street a girl's shrill laugh pealed It was the first sound I had heard since coming out of the hotel

I walked on, past the lines of hushed, standing people. Soon I came to the scene of Saint John's recent fire in which a six-story building and a three-story building were completely wrecked A hose line or two still lay about Bricks and charred timbers were tumbled in the street A familiar smell of burnt decay filled the air Against the faintly-lit sky the sharp gaunt pinnacles of fire-blackened brick walls stood etched

This was London all right.

Hundreds, thousands, of streets in the war-torn metropolis could duplicate this scene, where only a few hours before a workman's body had been carried from the wreckage.

LOOKS LIKE LONDON

A policeman was on duty He was moved by the same thought. "This must look like London," he remarked I told him how it was.

A smallish man wearing a Derby hat and a white armlet joined in the conversation. He was an air-raid warden

"It's a voluntary organization," he explained. You'll find three or four of us to every block throughout the city As soon as we hear the warning we go into action Even the residential districts are patrolled"

"Our duties are to see that no lights show from windows or doorways. If any real trouble came to us we would help in rescue work and first aid and any other jobs that came along"

Up the street a whistle blew sharply A small light had appeared from somewhere.

"Put that light out, came a warden's voice

The light went out.

Shortly afterwards the sirens took up the all-clear chorus I visited Col Slader, Saint John's affable chief of police.

"We organized in the first week of war," he told me The blackouts are staged every now and then without warning At first people were inclined to laugh. Now they take them more seriously Perhaps the news from England has some effect

"We haven't had a single case of burglary during blackout trials Once a shop window was smashed under cover of the darkness, but it was a case of personal spite We are proud of our record It's a tribute to our people here"

I asked about the street traffic.

"The regulations forbid any lights in the streets during blackout," the chief explained. "But peacetime ordinances require moving vehicles to show lights, and they have not been changed That stops traffic and it will leave the streets clear for essential services in case of an emergency Pedestrians are urged to stand beside the buildings in order to get what protection they can"

Helping Saint John's fire department and warden's service will be hundreds of trained first aid workers, manning the posts throughout the city A large number of residents have volunteered to take the necessary St. John Ambulance training courses

Another force will be the Volunteer Salvage Corps Organized back in 1882, this body attends all fires with the regular fire department and performs splendid rescue and cleanup work One of the charter members, S B [illegible], who joined the corps in 1883 worked all night at the recent big fire.

That was the spirit of co-operation I found in the city that night That was the spirit that ensures that Canadian cities on either coast, or anywhere in the Dominion, will not fall short of the heroic example that London, battered Hub of the Empire, has set for us

DUCHESS AND FARMERETTE

The Duchess of Gloucester is shown, left, chatting with a pretty farmerette who can drive a tractor with any man, during her visit to the Northamptonshire Institute of Agriculture, where members of the woman's land army are trained.

LINDRUM MAKES BILLIARD RECORD

SYDNEY Australia — Walter Lindrum, champion billiardist, has made a world record break of 100 in forty-six seconds It is the fastest three-figure break ever made and eclipses Lindrum's previous record of fifty-one seconds

Some days later Lindrum made a break of 142 when he cleared the table at snooker He potted twelve blacks two pinks, and one brown then all the colors in turn Steps are being taken to have the feat placed as a world record. It was his ninety-seventh break of 100 or more at snooker